

PLANS TO BE MADE FOR CLEANUP WEEK

City Council and Committees of Women's Clubs will Hold Conference Thursday Afternoon.

MANY SUGGESTIONS OFFERED

Recommendations Aimed to Improve General Appearance of the City are Considered.

Preliminary plans for the annual Clean-up and Paint-up Week to be observed here May 1-6, will be discussed tomorrow afternoon when the members of the city council will discuss the arrangements with the representatives of the various women's organizations and other citizens who are interested in the movement. The conference was arranged by Mayor Ross and the time for the meeting was set at the board of works meeting last night.

Several of the women's clubs in the city have appointed special committees to work in conjunction with the administration and the council. These organizations have pledged their support and co-operation in the movement which assures its success, some of the club committees have already held meetings to hear suggestions of the members so that the recommendations could be filed with the council. It is known that the council, desirous of making the special week the most successful ever observed here, is pleased with the co-operation shown by the women of the city.

The clean-up campaign this spring will be conducted systematically. This has been decided upon as it has been clearly demonstrated here that without a definite program much of the effort is lost. It is likely that the council will designate certain days when the city teams will work in the several wards and announcement of the schedule will be made in ample time so the property owners can take advantage of the offer. During the clean-up week the council employees sufficient teams and men to haul away all the trash and debris that collects and no charge is made against the property owners.

It has been proposed that a campaign to beautify the city be conducted at the same time clean-up week is observed and this suggestion will be considered at the conference tomorrow afternoon. If this is undertaken an effort will be made to encourage children to clean up the vacant lots in their neighborhoods and to replace the unsightly weeds with well arranged flower beds. It is pointed out that such work will mean much to the general improvement of the city and that with a little work on the part of all the residents many of the spots which now mar the appearance of the otherwise well kept surroundings can be removed.

It is known that a thorough inspection of the city will be made after clean-up week closes. The ladies, it is believed, will be appointed as inspectors and it will be their duty to see that all the back yards and alleys have been looked after. Those who are interested in the campaign think that the inspection is one of the most effective methods of getting the work done promptly and are anxious that a critical inspection of the city be made.

Several other matters pertaining to the clean-up campaign will be considered at the conference tomorrow. It is desired that as many ladies as possible be present and that others interested in the movement attend.

Mrs. Lula Schneider Dead.
Mrs. Lula Schneider, wife of August Schneider, who lives south of Brownstown, died early today, after a three weeks' illness with a complication of diseases. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stahl. Her father has been dead several years. Besides her mother and husband she leaves four children. Mrs. Schneider was about thirty-seven years old. The funeral will be held Saturday morning.

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FISH AND GAME CLUB TO ELECT OFFICERS THURSDAY

Federal and State Departments will be Petitioned to Send Shipment of Wall-Eyed Pike.

The second meeting of the Jackson County Fish and Game Conservation Club will be held in the court room at the city building at 7:30 Thursday night. Those who are interested in the work of this organization are desirous that a large attendance be present. Officers will be elected and steps will be taken to effect the permanent organization of the club.

It is announced that petitions will be filed immediately with the government and also with the state fish and game commission asking that this county share in the distribution of wall-eyed pike or salmon. It is hoped that several thousand minnows of this variety be sent to this county to be placed in White River and other streams.

The club was recently organized here as a result of the work of Senator E. A. Norman, of Hope, who was sent to various parts of the state by the Indiana fish and game commission.

SAFETY MEETINGS TO BE HELD HERE

T. E. Stacy, Secretary of Baltimore & Ohio Y. M. C. A., to Speak to Employees Here Thursday.

NOON SESSION IS PLANNED

Stereopticon Lecture Will be Given at Society Hall at 8 P. M.—Superintendent Sheer to Speak.

As is generally known, the Baltimore and Ohio Lines have taken an exceedingly keen interest in everything which pertains to the Safety First movement, and the welfare of its employees. This road was among the first to take up and develop to a high stage the matter of the safety of its employees and of the public,—a movement which to-day has spread to industries of nearly every line. In further endeavor to impress upon its employees the importance of this movement, the management has arranged for two meetings to be held at Seymour on Thursday, April 13th.

The first meeting is to be an open air meeting, to be held at the round house at 12:45 p. m. Those employees who find themselves able to be present will be given a fifteen minute talk by T. E. Stacy, Secretary of the Baltimore and Ohio Y. M. C. A., who is covering the entire Baltimore and Ohio Lines in the interest of this work.

At the evening meeting, which will be held at Society Hall, at 8 o'clock, Mr. Stacy will give a very interesting talk on the Safety First and welfare movements and will be assisted by many stereopticon views, which have been provided for this special purpose. An invitation has been extended to all the employees of the Indiana Division, together with the members of their families. Experience has shown in the past that the wives and mothers of the men engaged in railroad services are oftentimes more keenly interested in the Safety First movement than the men themselves.

The meeting Thursday night will enable the employees of the Indiana Division, together with their families, to get in touch with all of the latest developments in the Safety First movement. It is anticipated that Mr. Stacy's talk will be exceedingly interesting. The evening meeting will also be briefly addressed by Superintendent E. W. Scheer and Mayor Ross has also consented to be present and to give a short talk. A brief musical program will also be a feature of the evening.

Announcement.
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No-Piece Curtain Stretchers at the Bee Hive. Call and see them. a13d

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EXTENSIVE WORK AT THE CITY PARK

Request of Citizens' Committee Asking for Landscape Gardener is Granted by Works Board.

FOUNTAIN WILL BE REPAIRED

Improvements to be Made on the Grounds Hereafter Will be According to a Permanent Plan.

Representatives of the citizens' park committee appeared before the board of works Tuesday night and outlined the work that is planned at the city property this spring. The board agreed to appropriate \$150 to be used in carrying out the suggestions of the citizens' committee which have been approved by the park committee of the council. The citizens' committee is composed of Mrs. M. S. Blish, Mrs. B. F. Schneek, W. L. Johnson, Fred Able, and Nathan Kaufman. The members of the park committee of the council are Murray chairman, Hodapp and Roekstroh. The two committees have recently conferred on the work that is contemplated.

The committees have decided that it would be advisable to employ or secure the services of an experienced landscape gardener to make the plans and specifications to be followed in improving and beautifying the grounds. Part of the money which was appropriated will be used for this purpose. It is pointed out that the complete plan cannot be carried out this summer, and probably not next year, but by adopting a permanent outline part of the work can be done each year and it will be permanent. Heretofore nothing definite had been done and frequently it was necessary to tear down part of the work that was done the year previous.

Some of the trees have been trimmed and a number cut down. The stumps of those that were removed will be taken from the ground and the hill on the north side of the grounds will be leveled. The fountain is badly in need of repairs and will receive a coat of paint and the necessary repairs will be made. A sanitary drinking fountain will also be erected.

The city engineer was asked to make a survey of the park for the convenience of the landscape architect. As soon as this is completed it will be forwarded to the landscape gardener and he will determine the best method of beautifying the grounds. The citizens' committee as well as the committee of the council, desires that extensive work be done at the park this summer so that it will be a popular place of recreation for the citizens.

The swimming pool and the playground have done much to popularize the grounds and more people took advantage of the attractive grounds last summer than ever before. This spring the swimming pool is to be surrounded with flowers which will add to its attractiveness. It is hoped that this work can be done before the pool is opened for the summer.

The citizens' committee has done excellent work in beautifying the park and with the plans which have been outlined for this summer the improvement will be even more marked. The council, too, is interested in the park question and the prospects for extensive improvements are assured.

Illustrated Lecture.

The Rev. William A. Schurr, pastor of the German Methodist church, gave a very interesting stereopticon lecture Tuesday evening at the church. The views shown on the screen were taken by him on his recent trip through the west. The pictures taken include views of the Grand Canyon, at San Diego, Los Angeles, Pasadena, San Francisco and in the Canadian national park. Some of the pictures were taken at night and showed in a very splendid manner the brilliant lighting effects at the California expositions. The proceeds of the entertainment were turned over to the building fund.

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Mortgage exemptions filed. Clara Massman, office over Bee Hive.

ARBOR AND BIRD DAY SET APRIL 21

Charles A. Greathouse, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Urges Observance by Schools.

PROCLAMATION BY GOVERNOR

Purpose of Day is Not Only to Set Out a Tree But to Watch and Protect it While Growing.

Charles A. Greathouse, state superintendent of public instruction, has issued an "Indiana Arbor and Bird Day" booklet, in which schools of the state are urged to observe a spring arbor and bird day, Friday, April 21. Within the book is a proclamation from Governor Ralston, setting aside that day as an arbor and bird day, and urging the public schools to observe the day and the people of the state to plant trees and shrubbery on that day.

A letter from Mr. Greathouse to the young people, teachers and school officials of Indiana, follows the governor's proclamation. Then come suggestive programs for rural and city schools and a list of suggestive topics for arbor day exercises.

The letter from Mr. Greathouse to the school people of the state follows:

The observance of special days in the year fails utterly of its purpose if the spirit of the occasion closes with the day.

The object of Arbor and Bird day is not simply to plant a tree, make a birdhouse and otherwise dedicate an hour or two to the service of nature. The tree must be watched and matured until it has grown large and strong, and then it must be preserved fully to serve mankind. The birdhouse must be placed where it will invite nesting birds and where it will be guarded from storms and other destructive agencies.

But even more than this, if the day has been, as it should be, the type of many other days in the year, there should be tangible results in evidence. The state should be richer in trees, shrubbery, the birds should be more numerous, and the farmer and the town and city dweller should see a marked change in the attitude of old and young toward the growing plants under their feet and the singing birds over their heads.

A gospel of more and better trees and birds must be spread abroad in this state, and the boys and girls of our public schools must be the messengers, making the lessons of Arbor and Bird day reach every citizen, until the triumph of this observance is manifest because all the people of the state are uniting systematically to plant appropriate trees and shrubbery on school grounds, private property, vacant places in the city and town and along the country roadside.

Samuel M. Ralston, governor of Indiana, has, in accordance with the statutes, designated Friday, April 21, 1916, to be observed as Arbor and Bird day, and has invited the public and the public schools to observe that day by tree planting and appropriate programs.

Count the trees on your school grounds and see if by adding to their number you can improve the beauty and comfort of the surroundings. Examine your home lawns and the places along the roads and street and decide if these can be improved by the planting of trees and shrubbery and by the building and placing of bird-houses.

I want the boys and girls of our public schools not only to make the Arbor and Bird day of 1916 the best we have ever observed, in the fullness of the work and the character of the program, but to dedicate themselves as enthusiastic agents during the entire year to keep before the people the great need of our state for more birds and more trees.

Always Something New.

We now have on display in our window a fine lot of cultured pearl rings, also the shell showing the formation of the pearl. George F. Kamman, jeweler, successor to Jackson & Kamman. a13d

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AMBASSADOR GERARD SENDS PERSONAL NOTE

Communication From Berlin Tells the German Attitude on Sussex and Allied Cases.

By United Press.
Berlin, April 12—A lengthy personal message from Ambassador Gerard is accompanying the German communication on the Sussex and allied cases to Washington.

Gerard forwarded the statement from the German foreign office at noon yesterday. The message he sent is in confidence to the state department and concerns the German attitude on the cases involved.

NEW OFFENSIVE

Allied Fortifications at Devetepe Taken, Says Greek Papers.

By United Press.
Athens, April 12—Greek newspapers today announced that the Germans have begun a violent offensive movement on the Greek frontier capturing the Devetepe fortifications from the allies. A violent cannonading has been resumed north of Salonika. The allied batteries apparently were numerically superior.

NEW REPUBLIC IN CHINA PROBABLE

Southern Provinces with 100,000,000 Population Expected to Establish Own Government.

CANTON MAY BE THE CAPITAL

President Yuan-Shi-Kai Summons Leaders of Revolutionists for Conference to Preserve Republic.

By United Press.
Shanghai, April 12.—Formation of a new republic of southern China with a population of one hundred million people may be announced within the next few weeks.

Following the lead of the province of Kwangtung, the important maritime province of Che-Kiang on the Eastern Sea to-day seceded from the Republic.

Emissaries of the revolutionists have arrived in Canton which probably will be the capital of the new republic with word that three provinces are about to declare their independence.

The movement is spreading to all provinces south of the Yang-Tse-Kiang River, it is stated. In an effort to save the republic from dissolution, President Yuan-Shi-Kai has summoned the revolution leaders to meet in conference at Peking. The southern rebels have not yet accepted the invitation.

LOOT, VALUED AT \$5,000,000, FOUND BY CARRANZISTAS

Treasury Stolen by Villistas Discovered Buried on Las Nieves Ranch in Durango.

By United Press.
El Paso, April 12.—\$5,000,000 worth of loot taken by the late Turmo Urbina have been recovered by the Carranza military forces, according to official announcement by Consul arica here today.

The treasury was buried on the Las Nieves ranch in Durango. It comprised twenty-three boxes of gold coins and jewelry, twenty bars of gold bullion, considerable silver bullion and loot from Mexican churches, besides \$800,000 in bank notes.

SLIGHT TRACE OF POISON DISCOVERED IN THE WATER

Believed to Have Been Deliberate Villista Plot to Destroy American Soldiers.

By United Press.
El Paso, Tex., April 12.—Slight traces of cyanide were discovered in water along the southern route taken by the United States expedition in Mexico, according to unconfirmed reports received here today. A deliberate Villista poison plot is suspected. No illness among American soldiers resulted as precautions were taken before soldiers or horses were allowed to use the water.

VILLA HIDING IN THE MOUNTAINS

General Obregon Says Mexican Forces Have Driven Bandit Into Close Quarters.

ACCOMPANIED BY 150 MEN

General Herrera Tells Military Chief That Bandit Leader is Suffering From Wound.

By United Press.
Washington, April 12—More than \$1,000,000 has been spent thus far by the United States in its hunt for Villa. The war department estimated today the monthly cost over and above regular running expenses has been \$100,000 while \$900,000 has been spent for auto trucks and gasoline tank cars.

By United Press.
Washington, April 12—A cablegram from General Obregon to the Mexican embassy today said Villa, according to his report, had gone into the mountains, wounded, with less than 150 men. The message from Querretaro said:

"The bandit Villa has lost almost all his followers during the recent battle forced on him by our troops and it is confirmed that he was wounded in the battle of Cieneguita. General Herrera informed me that Villa has gone into the mountains, wounded, and with less than 150 men. I have given orders for such necessary movements as will completely destroy the men who are taking care of him and which will cause his capture."

MOVEMENTS OF MEXICAN FORCES CAUSE ANXIETY

Army Officers Perplexed When Carranzista Soldiers Move Across Chihuahua State.

By United Press.
San Antonio, Tex., April 12—Movements of Mexican military forces in northern Mexico and activity of various Mexican political leaders are causing anxiety at General Funston's headquarters it was learned on highest authority here today.

Army officers and consular agents were perplexed by Carranzista troop movements from east to west across Chihuahua state in northern Mexico.

It can be stated on highest authority that unexplained Carranzista movements coupled with sudden activity on the part of influential Mexicans, is arousing keen anxiety at headquarters.

In order to save nearly 100 miles in the line of communication Funston's staff today had prepared detailed plans for moving the American terminus to a point near Ojinaga, opposite Presidio, Tex. Funston does not intend to move the line immediately.

SKIRMISH IS REPORTED IN MEXICAN TERRITORY

Mexican Central Train Ran into Fight but Brings Only Meager Censored Reports.

(By T. H. Conkle, United Press Staff Correspondent.)
El Paso, April 12.—A battle was reported to have been fought between Jimenez and Parral, but on account of the Carranzista censorship the forces engaged were not made known. A Mexican Central train ran into the fight, later returning to Jimenez whence the censored reports were sent to the border. It is not known here whether or not American forces engaged in the fighting.

FIRE AT MONROVIA

Five Frame Business Houses Burned at Loss of \$20,000.

By United Press.
Mooreville, Ind., April 12—Five frame business buildings in Monrovia near here were destroyed today by a fire with a loss estimated at more than \$20,000. The Masonic lodge room lost all records and equipment. The buildings destroyed were in the southwestern part of the business district.



United States Tire Show All Next Week

All next week we will have a special exhibit of United States 'Balanced' Tires—the tires which give such low cost per mile.

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FREETOWN.

Harley Manuel of Jasonville spent several days here the guest of his sister, Mrs. Chas. Smith.

Cecil Cross of Jasonville visited here last week.

J. H. Davis purchased a Studebaker automobile Friday.

A. Stevens and wife of Muncie came

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HAPPY HOLLOW.

Houston Christian Sunday School, attendance 37, offering \$1.15.

Miss Reva Bebout, who is attending school here, is staying with Mrs. John Lutes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Noe and son returned to their home in Illinois Wednesday.

Herschell Hunter and family visited Mrs. Margaret Kindred Sunday.

William Parr and Alvin Brock were at Brownstown Friday.

John Lutes was a business visitor at Seymour Wednesday.

John B. Kirk, deputy tax collector, was in this neighborhood the past week. Delmar Crocker and Emerson Mitchell were at Brownstown Monday.

Walter Brown is moving his sawmill from Brown county to the Squirrel-town neighborhood.

Obituary.

F. Wm. A. Redicker.—The community of Wagon and vicinity was greatly shocked last Thursday morning on hearing the sad news of his accidental drowning. He got up in his usual health and after breakfast worked some about the house after which he went about a quarter of a mile from the house to fix a fence along Pond Creek which bounds his farm on the north. After investigation it looks as though he was in the act of stepping off the distance along the bank to ascertain the length of wire needed to fence it, and when about half way along the space, something overcame him causing him to fall from the first bank to the second bank, where the print of his corduroy trousers could be plainly seen and from there, tilted over into the creek in about eighteen inches of water, where he was found shortly after by his brother, Philip, and Otto Donohost, who were driving on the public road which leads along the bank of the creek at this place. Deceased was born Feb. 27, 1861, in Grassy Fork township in which he lived all his life. While yet in his infancy, through baptism, he was united to the Lutheran church of which he remained a good and faithful member until death. He was united in marriage Jan. 26, 1894 to Minnie Buening. To this union was born one daughter, Esther, who with her mother, survive him. He also leaves four brothers and three sisters. Mr. Redicker was one of Jackson county's esteemed and respected citizens. He was a true and loving husband and father, a kind and good neighbor, of a quiet and generous disposition and always had a helping hand in the time of need. He will be greatly missed by all.

SPRAYTOWN.

Attendance at Sunday School 33, collection 80 cents.

On account of being in a meeting at Freetown Rev. Bliss did not preach here Sunday night.

Mrs. John Kerns, who has been ill with pneumonia, is improving.

Mrs. Fred Terrell, who is ill, remains about the same.

Flossie and Mamie Harris were in Seymour Friday.

Dr. Maris was called to see a small child of Henry Huber Monday.

Al Williams transacted business at Freetown Monday.

Dr. Brown of Seymour was called Sunday to attend a sick horse of Walter Voss.

Mrs. Riebold has moved on the farm of Cash Kerns.

Walter Rutan and family were at Waymerville Monday.

Emery McKinney is taking the enumeration of district No. 13.

Martin Huber sold some real calves Thursday to Wilburn Lutes of Freetown.

Some from this place attended church at Freetown Sunday night.

Luther Williams has purchased a young pair of work mules.

LONGVIEW.

Walter Bowman and family of Taylor's Chapel came Sunday for a few days' visit with Wm. Meyer and family.

James Judd went to Columbus Monday, where he has employment.

Miss Dorothy Roberts of Riverview spent Sunday here, the guest of Nona McKain.

Miss Mabel Meyer left Monday for Indiana Central University at University Heights.

Miss Nellie Garlock spent the week end with friends at Seymour.

Nelson Harris of Spraytown called on relatives here Monday.

A number from this place attended church at White's Chapel Sunday night.

Mrs. Ernest Beatty and children of Riverview visited her mother, Mrs. Martha Bottorff, over Sunday.

Dora Stroud of Fairview spent a few days last week with the family of her brother, Charles Stroud, at this place.

A. Judd was in Seymour Monday.

Henry Hoene of Borchers worked on his farm at this place last week.

GUTHRIE CREEK.

Jos. Hutchinson, John Meyers and S. E. Summerland went to Bedford Monday on business.

Charles Morrison of Switzerland county visited relatives here the latter part of last week.

Johnnie Easton went to Norman Station on business.

Charles Baker visited his brother, Willie Baker, and family at Cana the latter part of last week.

Henry Henderson of Norman Station came down to the sawmill Monday.

Charles and James Morrison were in Leesville one day last week.

Miss Mary Johnson of Wedderville visited Gladys Henderson Sunday evening.

Shirley, Otto, Opal and Ida Baker went to Pleasant Ridge Sunday to Sunday School.

Clarence Childers of Liberty came down to the sawmill to haul cross-ties Tuesday.

Films to Help Pay For War.

London, April 11.—The importers of American movie films are expected to agree that all money made from now to the end of the war shall be invested in British government war bonds.

Missing Man Found Drowned.

Perru, Ind., April 11.—The body of James Allen, fifty, missing five weeks, was found in the Wabash river here. Ispendancy, it is said, caused him to drown himself.

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RUSSELL CHAPEL.

Mrs. Matt Russell and daughter, Ida, visited in the family of Charles Hall at Crothersville Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Downing went to Washington county Sunday to visit her father.

Master Walter Warren of Crothersville came Friday to visit his grandparents, Walter Tatlock and wife, returning Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Bryan and four children went to Seymour Friday and visited her mother, Mrs. Ada Russell, until Sunday.

Sam Duncan from Driftwood spent Sunday with his uncle, Andy Duncan.

Rev. Anderson of Vallonia reached here Sunday.

There will be preaching at this place Tuesday night. Everybody invited.

Wm. Waskom went to Crothersville Saturday.

S. L. Garriott and Kerry Tatlock went to Brownstown last Friday on business.

Willis Hawn, who works at Cortland, spent Saturday at home.

Miss Eva Parker, who has been working at Cincinnati, returned home Friday.

Daniel Henderson went to Brownstown last Saturday.

James McClory moved in John Henderson's house Tuesday.

SULPHUR SPRINGS.

Attendance at Sunday School 16, collection 48 cents.

Mrs. Alma Perkinson of Seymour sent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. John W. Briner.

Miss Lillian Finke went to Franklin Monday to visit some friends.

Chas. Blainy purchased from Cordes Hardware Co. Monday, a new Tennessee wagon and a Brown cultivator.

Enos Deppert is painting John Briner's house this week.

Oliver Shank went to Madison Sunday to visit friends.

Albert Hulse visited Sunday with Edson Clouse and wife.

Al Brown and family were in Seymour last Friday night to see their son, Irving, of St. Louis, who was there between trains.

Mrs. Florence Montgomery reports the finding last Wednesday on the road east of the spring a new padlock key. Owner may have same by calling at their home.

About twenty relatives and friends of Miss Alma Schmidt gathered Sunday at her father's home to remind her of her eighteenth birthday. A dinner was served.

Miss Zetta Brown returned to her school Monday.

Mrs. Minerva Glasson visited last Friday with Mrs. Oma Smith.

REDDINGTON.

Sunday School next Sunday at 9:30, preaching at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Everybody invited.

Mrs. John McPike and daughter are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Bruner of Indianapolis.

Claude Beem and wife took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Davis.

Charles Welliver and wife entertained a company from Seymour Sunday.

Mrs. Cas Beem is visiting relatives at Indianapolis.

Mrs. Melinda Dennison is spending the week with her brother, William Swengel.

The township Sunday School Convention will be held at this place next Saturday. Dinner will be served at the church. Everybody invited.

Riley Sweeney and family spent Sunday with Wm. Bowman and family.

Misses Ellen Gruber, Edith Glasson, Edna Ruddick and Opal Craig were the guests of Miss Ruth Leblanc of Rockford Thursday night.

Mrs. John Foist of Brown's Corner spent Monday evening with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Nicholson.

The North Side club will meet with Mrs. Hattie Buntan this week.

HALF-WAY.

Master Forest Summa, who is confined to his bed with lung fever, is somewhat better.

Mrs. Rosa Mayfield and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Summa of Columbus visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Summa and family Sunday.

Arlie Brooks spent Sunday at Columbus with his cousin, Mr. Chas. Hill, who is very poorly.

Master Gaylord Brooks spent Sunday with B. E. Brooks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ruskin of Louisville spent the latter part of last week with F. E. Glasson and family.

Ambrose Woodson of Seymour spent Sunday with Bert Brooks and family.

Fred Emily called on Chas. Hulse Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Glasson, Mrs. Lutie Kel-

ly and Mrs. Lura Hulse, were the guests of Mrs. Mollie Brooks Monday evening.

B. E. Brooks' family are all on the sick list.

Carl Weddle and Maurice Brooks went out driving for their health Sunday evening.

Mrs. Grace Glasson, Mrs. Lutie Kelly, Mrs. Lura Hulse, and Miss Iona Brooks attended the closing exercises of the Rockford, Woodstock and Youtsey Hill schools at Rockford school Tuesday.

Geo. Shank, Sr. made a business trip to Seymour Monday.

COUNTY LINE.

A few of the farmers started to sow oats last week but the recent rain made the ground too wet again.

Mrs. J. H. Robins returned from Brownstown Sunday, where she had been visiting friends the past week.

The little daughter of Lloyd Rich is ill with bowel trouble. Dr. Perrin was called to see her Monday.

Charles Rich and family are suffering with la grippe.

Verna Johnson went to Franklin Friday to stay in the family of Pete Fately this summer.

Miss Cena Gudgel is visiting Arthur McCommon and family.

Harvey Robbins and wife visited at James Barkman's Sunday.

Frank Rich has a sick horse.

Mrs. Jake Cox from Chestnut Ridge visited at Emmett Johnson Monday.

Mrs. Howard Robbins and Mrs. John Rich and son, Archie, attended lodge at Uniontown Wednesday night.

UNIONTOWN.

Rev. Mr. Harmon filled his appointment here Sunday morning and evening. He was entertained in the home of Mrs. George Bedel.

Mrs. Lizzie Conway is not so well.

A. D. Cobb, county agent, gave an interesting talk to our school Thursday.

Misses Hattie and Cleon Furnish of Vienna are guests of their aunt, Mrs. Perrin, this week.

Frank Williams has recently moved his family to Mishawaka.

Mrs. Elmer Conway, Mrs. Walter Moseley and Miss Mary Bedel were shopping at Seymour last Friday.

Miss Juanita Lewis of Louisville is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lewis.

James Hall of Jennings county visited his sister, Mrs. Rachel Ray, last Tuesday.

Our schools will close next Friday and on Saturday the eighth grade pupils will take examination for graduation.

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Miss Nona Rucker of this place went to Danville Monday to attend college.



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Miss Ruby Burdall went to Indianapolis Monday to seek employment.

Mrs. Geo. Wolff and children who have been visiting relatives at Washington county for the past week, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson and daughter, Lois, visited in the family of Orlando Rucker Sunday.

Clark Waskom made a business trip to New Albany Saturday.

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BECK'S GROVE.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baute, Jr. and baby daughter, Marie, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baute.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Minex spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Sarah Sutherland, and sister, Nella.

Mrs. Jesse Rudolph is quite ill. Ralph and Ray Parker spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. James Ault and family.

Mrs. Wm. Thompson spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Rudolph, who is quite ill.

Mrs. Ithamer Henderson and daughter, Mamie, called on Mrs. Sarah Sutherland and daughter, Nellie, Tuesday. Wm. Shultz and son, Ernest, made a business trip to Columbus Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Baute, Mrs. Robert Basy, Mrs. Wm. Welches and three sons, and Misses Della and Ella Stout visited in the home of Sarah Sutherland Wednesday.

Mrs. Hattie King, daughter of Jerry and Mary Rudolph, who has been sick for some time, died Monday morning, April 10.

Miss Laura Garlock is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Orville Barker.

Ralph Barker made a business trip to Freetown Friday.

Marion Stout and family are moving on the old Rudolph place.

Mrs. Collin McCord spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. David Garlock.

Miss Opal Brand spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Mamie Hendershot.

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HIGH MOUNT.

Oscar Dailey and Charles Murphy, Sr. transacted business at Crothersville Monday.

Herbert Marling made a business trip to Seymour Monday.

Charles Spall and family were the guests of Samuel J. Bedel and wife near High Mount Sunday.

Services this week at Elmer Grantham's Tuesday; Willard Ross', Friday night; Samuel J. Bedel's Sunday night.

Wilmer Sage went to Seymour Monday.

R. L. Bowery went to Seymour Monday.

John P. Murphy sold and delivered hogs to Leonard Hazard near Reddingtown Monday.

Miss Vera Love is staying with her sister, Mrs. Mary M. Grantham, near Driftwood this week.

Taylor Bedel delivered a fine veal calf to Seymour butchers Tuesday.

Delmer Hogg and wife, near Crothersville, were visiting relatives in this vicinity Monday.

D. E. Bedel and wife were in Seymour Tuesday.

W. E. Baker and H. M. Love hauled hay from west of Retreat Monday.

Mrs. Roxie J. Love and daughter, Mrs. W. E. Baker, were trading at Seymour Tuesday.

Road Superintendent Edward Hall, with men and teams, is dragging the gravel roads.

Vern Grantham and wife of Driftwood attended services at Oscar Dailey's Sunday night. The meeting was well attended.

Frank Brooks and wife of Jefferson-town, Ky., are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Born, to Clyde Marling and wife, formerly of this place, but now of Indianapolis, Monday, April 3, a son.

Mrs. Maudie Winkler has gone to Indianapolis to visit Mrs. Clyde Marling.

Walter Dailey and family were guests of Tom Buckles and wife near Cana Sunday.

Alex. Marling, Jr. transacted business at Crothersville Wednesday.

Ellis Bedel bought a fine heifer calf from Oliver Carpenter.

George Dailey and family, Jas. Boicourt and family and Frank Dailey and family were guests of John Bedel and family Sunday near Mt. Eden.

Supervisor Charles Hildreth, with a number of men and teams graded the roads recently.

Mrs. Nellie Murphy, who is seriously ill, has been taken to the home of her parents, H. L. Ross and wife near Beech Grove.

Willard Ross and wife of Newry were guests of Chas. Murphy and wife Sunday.

Samuel J. Bedel and wife traded at Seymour Saturday.

James Sage and wife were guests of Woodford Barnes and wife near Marion Sunday.

Oscar Lewis near Langdon passed through here with hogs for the Seymour market Monday.

Mrs. Roxie J. Love and daughter, Mrs. W. E. Baker, accompanied Mrs. Mary Grantham to her home near Driftwood Tuesday.

Charles Spall and Willard Ross of Newry bought hogs from Oscar Dailey this week.

Oliver Carpenter was at Crothersville Thursday on business.

Mrs. Mary M. Grantham of Driftwood stayed in the family of Elmer Grantham Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

H. L. Ross of Beech Grove called on his daughter, Mrs. Nettie Spall, Wednesday.

Mrs. Bertha Sage and Mrs. Cynthia Bedel of No. 2 Wednesday called on Mrs. Nellie Murphy, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Lydia Bedel, Mrs. Fannie Marling and daughter, Miss Mary, attended services at Retreat Wednesday night.

R. L. Bowery and W. B. Brooks made a trip to Brownstown Friday on legal business.

James H. Love and W. E. Baker made a trip to Crothersville Thursday to pay their taxes.

H. E. McDonald went to Seymour Friday on business.

Meeting at Breeze's was well attended Tuesday night.

Jas. H. Love hauled blocks to Crothersville Friday from the Marling timber.

Albert Spall was at Seymour Friday trading.

Miss Beulah Bedel visited Thursday night with Charles Spall and family near Newry.

Samuel J. Bedel called on Mell Owens near Uniontown Friday.

Ellis Bedel was at Seymour Thursday trading.

VALLONIA.

Henry Lucas of Brownstown was a business visitor here last Thursday.

Geo. F. Turmail shipped out a carload of New Era cowpeas last Thursday.

Mrs. Pearl Steele of Seymour was a visitor here the first part of the week.

Miss Elva Pollock of Crothersville visited her mother here Saturday and Sunday.

The play "Dear Boy Graduates", given by the Vallonia high school here Saturday night, was well attended.

Theo. Crowe has purchased Mrs. David Trowbridge's property in West

Water street and will occupy same. Mrs. Trowbridge and son, Harry, have moved into the Snyder property on North Main street, recently vacated by Theo. Crowe and family.

Good interest is being taken in the farmers' school. The third meeting was held Monday night.

Teachers' institute and centennial exercises were held at the school building here Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Bertie Smith of Seymour was a visitor here several days last week.

Rev. C. H. Buchanan filled the pulpit at the Christian church Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

The Christian church congregation is contemplating the purchase of a new piano.

Capt. F. J. Meyers remains about the same.

Colby Hornaday is slowly improving. Oscar Schneider was a visitor at Brownstown Tuesday morning.

Dr. Scott Shields of Brownstown was here Monday and examined the teeth of all pupils and teachers of the Vallonia schools.

Booster meeting at Hotel Lobby Thursday night of this week. Everybody invited.

FT. RITNER.

Born, to Oscar Wade and wife, March 31, a daughter.

Mrs. W. P. Holland, who has been in poor health for some time, is not so well.

Sherman Lee is suffering from a severe attack of lagrippe.

Hubert Dixon and Miss Bonnie Henderson spent Friday night with their grandparents, Wes Mikles and wife.

Grandma Bailey, who has been very ill with stomach trouble, is somewhat improved.

Clark Dixon, who left on B. & O. train No. 8 about three weeks ago, has not returned and nothing has been heard from him. There is much uneasiness felt among relatives and friends.

Charles Henderson moved Arva Gallion to Bedford Tuesday.

A new roof and other repairs was put on the M. E. church last week.

The Ladies' Aid will give a pie supper and bazaar at the church the night before Easter, April 22. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Chas. Henderson, who was ill most of last week, is able to be out.

Mrs. Jane Wilcox and daughter, Fasta, visited relatives here last week.

School closed Friday.

Warren Nicholson and wife visited relatives at Tunnelton Sunday.

Henry Dowling and wife of Tunnelton Hill were guests of Ed Dixon and wife Sunday.

Harry Boyles is moving his family to Terre Haute, where he has employment in the switching yards.

MAUMEE.

Rev. Wm. Sexton preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning and Sunday night.

We have been having some rough weather for April.

Bruce Fleetwood's sale last Thursday was well attended and things sold well.

Jason Fish was at Freetown Monday.

Henry Lutes has purchased an Overland automobile.

Bruce Fleetwood has moved to the farm that he bought recently east of Maumee and Willard Fleetwood has moved into the property that he bought from Bruce Fleetwood.

The infant daughter of Lewis Beck is very sick.

Herschell Hunter and family of Buffalo and Homer Fish and family were the guests of Margaret Kindred Sunday.

W. O. Scott of Houston is helping in the assessment of property in this part of the township.

We understand that the delinquent tax collectors have been making calls in this neighborhood. Better pay your tax before it becomes delinquent and avoid the penalty.

VALLONIA SCHOOL NOTES

The eighth grade gave their reception for the Seniors and teachers last Wednesday evening. The time was spent in music and a good social time.

Refreshments were as follows: Chicken sandwiches and coffee, ice cream and cake. We are proud of our eighth grade and feel that they and those from the country schools will make a splendid High School class next year.

Several of our boys and girls are entering the county club work.

The High School gave their play last Saturday night. In spite of the weather the crowd was fairly good.

The amount taken in was \$36.00. This play was well given and was enjoyed by all present.

Tuesday night, April 17th the Vallonia school will give a County Fair. Admission will be 5c for each hundred pounds of your weight, or fraction thereof. Shows will be given. Police court will be going on. A crazy house worth while and at 10:00 a play will be given for all. Everybody invited.

Dr. Scott Shields of Brownstown examined the school children's teeth last Monday. He was interested in this experiment and the parents knowing how closely related are good health and good teeth will no doubt be interested. We are looking forward to the time when this will be compulsory.

Miss McNeill a state demonstrator

will meet with the domestic science class Monday night, April 17 and a demonstration lesson will be given. This lady comes to us highly recommended.

Farmers' night school was well attended Monday night.

A committee of three were selected to see about organizing the Melon Growers' Association. Interest along this line is running high at the present time. A meeting was called for next Wednesday night. All melon growers should be present.

MEDORA.

Rev. A. B. Condo filled his appointments here both morning and evening Sunday.

Elder C. V. Weddell filled his appointment at Mundell church in Lawrence county last Sunday.

Attendance at the Christian church Sunday School last Sunday was 65, collection \$1.55; at the United Brethren, attendance 64, collection \$1.42.

Charles B. Ganstine and wife of Bloomington are visiting his parents here this week. He gave a talk to the high school Monday morning at opening exercise period.

Leonard C. Huntington attended the State Convention at Indianapolis last week as a delegate of the Republican party of Carr township.

The next regular parent-teacher association meeting will be held one week from Friday, which will be April 21.

The ladies of the United Brethren church will hold an all day market and bazaar at the Crescent Theater on Saturday, April 23, for the benefit of the church.

The revival services at the Christian church closed last Sunday night with about thirty-seven additions to the church. A number of the converts were baptized Monday at the Christian church in Brownstown.

Mrs. J. S. Thomas, mother of Superintendent Thomas, fell Monday and sprained her knee, which has caused her considerable pain and disappointment as she was anticipating leaving here Saturday to spend the summer with her daughter near Rockport.

The high school boys have scheduled another baseball game with the Vallonia boys to be played here next Friday afternoon. The public is invited. Our boys have never been beaten this season and a good game is expected.

Superintendent J. H. Thomas will attend the Conference on Educational Measurements to be held at Indiana University Friday and Saturday of this week. He is a firm believer in measurements of the educational product and has not missed a conference so far. Last year he reported more educational tests given than any other superintendent in this state. This year he has given Child's Algebra Test, Curtis Standard Test in Arithmetic, Ayer's Spelling Test, and Thorndike's Writing Test. He is also one of the thirty-four superintendents who have been cooperating with the Educational Department of Indiana University in working out a comparative study of the cost of instruction of the schools.

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ACME.

Sunday School attendance, M. E. 20, collection 37 cents; U. B. and Christian not reported.

Mrs. Rebecca Paul is ill.

Mrs. W. N. Nelson's two children are reported somewhat improved.

Dan Spray, who has been very ill with heart trouble, is able to be out again.

Grandma Reedy is not well.

Miss Bertha Rucker is staying with Grandma Reedy.

John Simmons sold and delivered wheat to the Freetown mills last week.

Miss Ghita Isaacs of Cortland came out last week and was the guest of her grandparents at this place.

An old fashioned quilting was held Monday at Mrs. Edna Anderson's. Quite a number were present.

The friends of Mrs. Bertha Robertson, who is ill at her home at Stanwood, Iowa, will be glad to know she is improving from a very severe illness of pneumonia.

Mrs. Edna Thompson and children started last Sunday for Champaign, Ill. to meet her husband. They will make that place their future home.

Rev. S. S. Turley, assisted by Re. George Reichenbocker of this place, is holding a series of meetings at Seymour.

J. W. Jackson, Leroy Gilbert and C. C. Isaacs transacted official business at Cortland last Friday.

Clarence Isaacs has been appointed deputy mail carrier out of Cortland for Routes 1 and 2, and made his first trip Monday.

Mrs. George Wilson came from Kurtz

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Ask Yourself the question. How often has the doctor failed, as have ointments, salves, vapours? What you should do.

The easy, common-sense method—that costs so little—that is so quickly and vigorously effective—is often the last resort of many Catarrh sufferers. Why, it is hard to say. One of the specialists of the Swift Specific Company in Atlanta—a physician of standing and national reputation because of his knowledge of blood disorders, made the assertion that if the majority of Catarrh sufferers would buy and faithfully take S. S. S., they could effectually get rid of Catarrh.

S. S. S. goes straight to the seat of trouble, the blood. It spreads its influence over every organ in the body, comes through the veins and arteries, enables the mucous surfaces to exchange acids and irritating substances for red blood corpuscles that effectually cleanse the system and thus put an end to all Catarrhal poison. S. S. S. cleans out the stomach of mucous accumulations, enables only pure, blood-

making materials to enter the intestines, combines with these food elements to enter the circulation, and in less than an hour is at work throughout the body in process of purification.

S. S. S. is made from barks, roots and herbs that are food and tonic for the blood. It stimulates—gives the blood power to throw off poisons. You will soon realize its wonderful influence by the absence of headache, a clearing of the air passages, a steadily improved nasal condition, and a sense of bodily relief that proves how completely Catarrh often infests the entire system.

You will find S. S. S. on sale at all drug stores. It is a remarkable remedy for all blood affections, such as Eczema, Rash, Lupus, Tetters, Psoriasis, Boils, and all other diseased conditions of the blood. For special advice on any blood disease write The Swift Specific Company, Medical Department, Room 11, Atlanta, Ga. Avoid substitutes.



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goods to Seymour Wednesday. Wil-

liam Booth assisted him.

Mrs. Mollie Miller went to Columbus Wednesday.

Frank Moore transacted business in Brownstown Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitsett were in Seymour Thursday night.

Mrs. Alfred Adams and daughter called on Mrs. Susan Stout Thursday.

Perry Hildreth of Retreat was in this neighborhood Thursday.

Mrs. Susan Stout visited her daughter, Mrs. Emma Hildreth, at Retreat Sunday.

WEST REDDINGTON

Mrs. Sylvia Steward and son returned to her home near Columbus after spending several days with Mrs. John Steward.

D. A. Lucas and wife were at Columbus Tuesday.

Misses Ellen Gruber, Edna Ruddick, Edith Glasson and Opal Craig visited their teacher Miss Ruth Leblanc, Thursday night, at Rockford.

Mrs. Anna Combs visited relatives at New Albany and Jeffersonville, for a few last week.

Harold Amick, after visiting several weeks in the family of D. A. Lucas, returned to his home in Greenwood, Tuesday of last week.

Several from here attended John Peter's sale, near Seymour Saturday.

Mrs. C. A. Adams went to Louisville last week.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 1916.

DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE MET
Recommends Renomination of Wilson and Marshall at St. Louis.
Indianapolis, April 12.—Bernard Korbly of Indianapolis, was re-elected state chairman, and W. A. Kunkel of Bluffton, vice-chairman at a meeting of the Indiana Democratic Central committee. The state chairman was directed to nominate men for secretary and treasurer of the state committee and present their names to the committee at its next meeting, which will be held at 10 o'clock on Tuesday, April 25, the day before the opening of the state convention. It is understood that A. C. Sallee will be re-elected secretary, and Hugh Doherty will be re-elected treasurer.
It has been expected that the state committee would elect Governor Ralston temporary chairman of the state convention, to make the keynote speech, but this was not done. The state chairman was authorized to choose a temporary chairman, and it is understood that he will select the governor. James H. Fry, deputy auditor of state, was elected chief sergeant-at-arms of the state convention.
The committee passed a resolution endorsing Wilson and Marshall, Governor Ralston, and also commending Ralston for appointing Thomas Taggart United States senator, and asking that Taggart be a candidate for the nomination for the senatorship.

HINSHAW IS SENTENCED
Second Banker Condemned to Prison Term For Bank Failure.
Noblesville, Ind., April 12.—E. M. Hinshaw of Indianapolis, former vice president of the Farmers and Merchants' bank of Cicero, was sentenced in the circuit court to the Michigan City prison for from two to twenty years and fined \$1,000 for conspiring to defraud the depositors of the Cicero bank.
Judge Sparks of Rushville, who tried the case, took action after overruling Hinshaw's motion for a new trial.
Hinshaw immediately gave notice of an appeal to the state supreme court and filed \$5,000 bond.
Hinshaw is the second banker to be sentenced to prison in connection with four bank failures here more than a year ago. The first, George Bowen, former president of the Hamilton Trust company of this city, was sentenced to two to fourteen years for embezzlement and he, too, has appealed to the supreme court.
Muncie Bribery Case Set.
Muncie, Ind., April 12.—Gene Williams, deputy prosecutor, who is charged with accepting bribes, will be the first of the city and county officials indicted in the so-called graft cases, to go to trial. Williams' trial has been set for May 22. Judge Gause of Newcastel will preside. Mayor Bunch, Police Chief McIlvaine and others are under indictment.
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Easter Morning

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Men, a new hat is an absolute necessity on Easter morning.

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HOSIERY, GLOVES,
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View of Republican Readers

Editor Republican:—
Dear Sir:—
Your Weekly Republican of April 6th contained an article concerning a road petition, by Wm. M. Isaacs.
As I circulated one of said petitions, I would like to state the views of about 100 signers of this road petition to the taxpayers of Hamilton township.
We are not asking for a concrete road from Cortland to Bell's Ford bridge. The petition asks only for one-half mile of concrete sixteen feet wide, the balance in general repair. As this comes under the three mile law, road had to run to the cross roads at Cortland. Our people want a test of concrete through the river bottoms.
Every time we have a flood or overflow, the repairs for the four bottom roads is something fierce. Traveling is almost stopped for a week or more.
Automobiles are licensed by the state and have the same right as other vehicles and no more on our roads.
The writer of your article must think our county commissioners have no business ability—our bridge costing seventeen thousand dollars (\$17,000.00). Just take away evel-

en thousand dollars, then you will have nearer the cost of the bridge.
Mr. Isaacs proposes a concrete road from Mr. Wm. Hodapp's farm to Seymour. This would cost the township about forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00) for three miles of road, more by half than to repair all four roads in the bottoms. Besides, Seymour has no petition now nor will have soon a petition for that road, but has now one to run to Bell's Ford bridge.
The Hummer Pipe Dream of horses being soon extinct on the farm is a little premature.
As far as public utility is concerned I expect the Cortland and Seymour road is used as much as any in the county. Fifteen miles north in Brown county through the thrifty and beautiful village of Waymansville, south ten miles from the no mean city, the Hub of the county, Brownstown, our city cousins can be sent almost every day, their welcome faces passing through our little village. Beyond, the Kurtz neighborhood, fourteen miles west, Freetown-Acme and Surprise are all excellent feeders for this road daily. Some of them pass through here east to Columbus through Jonesville.
We hope the taxpayers of Hamilton township will see this proposition as we do. Come over in Macedonia and help us, brethren, and so we will be under obligations to help you in a time of need, as the money now used to keep this road in repair will be used on other roads in this township and not wasted as now by being washed away with every overflow.
Respectfully,
R. D. Hays, Cortland, Ind.

RICHARD HARDING DAVIS, NOTED AUTHOR, IS DEAD

War Correspondent was Receiving Telegram Over Telephone when He was Stricken.
By United Press.
New York, April 12.—Richard Harding Davis, noted war correspondent and author, is dead. Davis dropped dead from heart failure while talking over the telephone at his home at Mt. Kisco at 9:30 o'clock last night, it was learned today.
Davis was receiving a telegram over the telephone when stricken. He died before medical aid could be summoned. The author was about his home throughout yesterday apparently feeling fairly well, though his health had not been the best for some time.
Pie Supper.
The Good Cheer Circle will give a pie supper at the First Baptist church Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. All the ladies will bring a pie and two forks. Special invitation is extended to the Agogas, Amomas and boys of the Intermediate department. A general invitation is extended to all. Pies will sell for 10 cents. a12d

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| Corn | 70c |
| Oats | .43c |
| Straw, wheat, ton..... | \$5.00 |
| Straw, oats, ton..... | \$6.00 |
| Timothy Hay..... | \$10.00@12.00 |
| Clover Hay..... | \$ 8.00@10.00 |

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| Hens, fat, | .13c |
| Cocks, young and old..... | .7c |
| Geese, per pound..... | .9c |
| Ducks, per pound..... | .12c |
| Turkeys, old hens, per pound..... | .16c |
| Old Toms, per pound..... | .13c |
| Turkeys, young fat..... | .18c |
| Guineas, apiece | .24c |
| Pigeons, per dozen..... | .75c |
| Eggs | .18c |
| Duck Eggs | .23c |
| Goose Eggs | .60c |
| Butter, (packing stock)..... | .19c |
| Tallow | .5c |
| Hides No. 1..... | .12c |
| Capons, 7 lbs. and over..... | .17c |
| Slips | .11c |

Indianapolis Cash Prices.
By United Press.
April 12, 1916.

WHEAT—Firm.

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| No. 2 red..... | \$1.23 @1.24 |
| Extra No. 3 red..... | \$1.22½@1.23½ |
| Milling wheat | \$1.22 |

CORN—Strong.

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| No. 4 white..... | .73¼@.74¾ |
| No. 4 yellow..... | .71½@.72½ |
| No. 4 mixed..... | .73 @.74 |

OATS—Steady.

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| No. 3 white..... | .44¼@.44¾ |
| No. 3 mixed..... | .40¼@.40¾ |

HAY—Steady.

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| No. 1 timothy..... | \$17.00@17.50 |
| No. 2 timothy..... | \$16.00@16.50 |
| No. 1 clover..... | Nominal |
| No. 1 light clover, mixed..... | \$16.00@16.50 |

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| Receipts | 4,500 |
| Tone | Strong |
| Best heavies..... | \$9.85@9.90 |
| Medium and mixed..... | \$9.85@9.90 |
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|-----------------------|-------------|
| Receipts | 850 |
| Tone | Strong |
| Steers | \$6.75@9.75 |
| Cows and heifers..... | \$3.50@9.25 |

Sheep.

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|----------------|---------|
| Receipts | 50 |
| Tone | Steady |
| Top | \$11.25 |

MUCH STREET WORK TO BE DONE DURING THE SPRING

Board of Works Orders Engineer and Street Commissioner to Look After the Requests.
Extensive work including the resurfacing and the repairing of a number of gravel streets in the city was ordered by the board of works at the regular meeting Tuesday night. The work will be under the supervision of City Engineer Rights and Street Commissioner Brown and will begin at once. Recently the councilmen designated certain streets to be repaired and work will be started on these at once. Later other streets are to be scarified and resurfaced so that by the latter part of the summer the unimproved streets throughout the city will be in good condition.
The city engineer was ordered to employ as many men and teams as are required to do this work promptly. The gravel to be used on the streets will be inspected by Engineer Rights and must be first class coming up to the standard laid down by the engineer. The teamsters will be paid not to exceed seventy-five cents a yard for hauling the metal. The coming of spring brought many requests for street work before the board of works and all the peti-

tions will be given immediate attention. The street commissioner was instructed to put in a tile in the north side of the alley between Poplar and Pine streets and also to open the outlet of the Vine street sewer.
Property owners on Buckeye street asked that the street be repaired with ashes and the street commissioner was instructed to haul the best ashes to that street. The same material will also be used on the west side of the park between Fifth and Sixth streets.
The city engineer, and Councilmen Hodapp, Ley and Andrews were ordered to investigate the side walk grade on South Walnut street to determine where the line should be established. Property owners on that street are anxious to improve the sidewalk and desire to have the established grade before the work is done so that it will be permanent. A side walk grade will also be given by the same committee on Oak street, across from the Seymour Woolen Mills, were improvements are contemplated.
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PERSONAL

Mrs. Omer Beach was in Cincinnati today.
Mrs. Thomas Ross was in Cincinnati today.
Mrs. A. Rittenhouse visited in Osgood today.
Inez Speckner was a Brownstown visitor today.
Mrs. Marsh Ross visited in Cincinnati today.
Mrs. S. Bowman was a visitor in Cincinnati today.
Mrs. Agnes Dennison was a visitor in Columbus today.
Mrs. T. A. Mott was an Indianapolis visitor today.
Mrs. E. M. Owens was a visitor in Cincinnati today.
Sheriff Robinson was in the city today on business.
Jessie Everhart was a visitor in Brownstown today.
Miss Belle Gilbert went to Medora today on business.
Mrs. T. S. Blish went to Indianapolis today on business.
Mrs. J. L. Davis went to Indianapolis on a business trip.
Mrs. E. E. Perkinson was a visitor in Indianapolis today.
Jessie Neal was in Columbus today transacting business.
Mrs. George Schuler, of Crothersville, was in the city today.
Harve Lucas was in Indianapolis today transacting business.
T. J. Stanfield, of Memphis, Tenn., was in the city today on business.
Mrs. Mary E. Winchester was in Indianapolis today on a business trip.
Mrs. Harvey Greenwood was in Cincinnati today on a business trip.
George Mount, of Scottsburg, was in the city today transacting business.
Mrs. Henry Schneider, of Brownstown, was in the city today on business.
Mrs. Charles Balkam was in Brownstown today visiting with friends.
Mrs. George Mount of Scottsburg, were in the city today transacting business.
Mrs. Sherman Sneed went to Valonia today where she will visit with relatives.
T. J. Stanfield, of Memphis, Tenn., is in the city for a short visit with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. James Nicholson, of Nicholson, of Azalia, were here on business today.
Mrs. Samuel Hodapp, of this city, went to Flora, Ill., this afternoon to visit her son.
Miss Alma Bell Charles accompanied her grandmother, Mrs. Hiram Foster, to her home in Deputy.
Mrs. A. S. Boyd went to Cincinnati today where she will visit with friends and relatives in that place.
Mrs. Hiram Foster, who has been visiting in this city for some time, left this morning for her home in Deputy.
Mrs. William Ball, who has been visiting her sister in Brownstown, returned to her home in this city today.
Nelson Seymour went to Cincinnati today where he witnessed the first base ball game of the season in that city.
Charles Hawn, who lives near Bethany, attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Margaret Richard, yesterday.
Mrs. Eleanor Schryler, who has been visiting her relatives in this vicinity, returned to Indianapolis this morning.
Mrs. J. H. Egbert, who has been visiting here for the last few weeks, returned to her home in Tulsa, Okla., today.
Mrs. Harry Messick and little daughter, of Terre Haute, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Ross.
Frank Myers, who was in the city to attend the funeral of his brother, Grover Myers, returned to his home in Cleves, O., today.
Mrs. E. C. Kattman, of Crothersville, was in the city today enroute to Brownstown where she will visit with friends and relatives.
Mrs. George Schwein, who has been visiting with Lawrence Cochran and family of this city, returned to her home in Brownstown today.
Mrs. Dr. G. O. Barnes was called to Louisville this morning on account of the sickness of her mother, Mrs. Stevens, 2019 Burnett avenue.
Edward Holmes went to Cincinnati today where he witnessed the first base ball game of the season, between the Cincinnati Reds and The Chicago Cubs.
M. F. Bottorff and daughter, Miss Lovell, Mrs. J. W. Summit, and their guest, Miss Leota Hanners of Bedford, drove to Columbus this morning to spend the day with friends.

Nicaraguan Canal Treaty Ratified.
Washington, April 12.—Ratification by the Nicaraguan congress of the treaty by which the United States acquires for \$3,000,000 canal route rights and a coaling station on Fonseca bay, was announced in a dispatch received here from Managua by General Chamorro, the Nicaraguan minister. The treaty already has been ratified by the United States senate.

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Lenox Soap, 2 bars for.....5c
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Sifted Early June Peas, 2 cans for.....15c
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Home grown eating Potatoes, per peck.....20c
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SOCIAL EVENTS

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. L. B. Hill, West Second St., at 2:30 o'clock Thursday, April 13th Topic—Notable Baptists of Asia and Africa.

Duet.....Mrs. Roeger Carter and Miss Anna Carter.
Notable Baptist of Asia.....Mrs. J. H. Boake.
Hymn—From Greenlands Icy Mountains.
Notable Baptists of Africa.....Mrs. T. C. Smith.

Chundra Lele—A Native Woman Leader of India...Mrs. L. B. Hill.
Duet.....Mrs. John Buhner and Miss Grace Doane.
W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. held a very interesting and profitable session this afternoon with Mrs. Irvin Culver, East Fifth street. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Frank Teckemeyer, following which Mrs. J. F. Severinghaus read a paper on "Sabbath Desecration." A round table on "How can we promote better Sabbath observance in our community," was participated in by Mesdames Short, Carpenter, Boake and T. C. Smith. A paper, "Keep the Lord's Day," was also read.

LOYAL DAUGHTERS.

The Loyal Daughters class of the First Baptist Sunday School met Tuesday evening with Mrs. M. C. Carpenter. During the business session it was decided to take out one-half of a share in the support of both Miss Morgan, a home missionary, and Miss Aeock, a foreign missionary, as a step in increased interest in missionary work. A paper on "The Life of a Missionary," was read. Following the business session a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served.

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB.

The Fortnightly Club of the First Baptist church was entertained Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. L. B. Hill, West Second street. Several matters of business were considered at the meeting. The club decided to purchase new choir chairs for the church. The memorial plates which the club ordered for the organ are expected to come the latter part of the week, and will probably be placed on the organ before Sunday. Following the business session a social hour was enjoyed during which lunch was served.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.

A delightful surprise party was given at the home of Mrs. Leota Abernathy, on West Brown street, last evening in honor of Mr. Tom Bryant, it being his twenty-fourth birthday anniversary. About twenty-four of his young friends met there. He received several beautiful presents. The evening was spent in games and music. Light refreshments were served and all departed at a late hour wishing Mr. Bryant the best wishes of the day.

LOYAL DEVOUR SOCIETY.

The Loyal Devour Society of the Central Christian church met last evening with Mrs. E. R. Day, North Ewing street. Plans for aiding in the building campaign of the church were considered, following which there was a social hour. A delicious luncheon was served.

M. E. MISSIONARY SOCIETY.
The Missionary Society of the First Methodist church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. J. H. Mat-

lock. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Anna Vogel. Mrs. Smith read a paper on "The World's Needs," and Mrs. Mary Wilson gave a review of the fourth chapter of the year's study book, "Home Missions In Action." Light refreshments were served.

REBEKAH ANNIVERSARY.

The tenth anniversary of the organization of the Seymour Rebekah lodge will be observed with appropriate exercises at the I. O. O. F. hall on Thursday evening. The program will include a number of the old-fashioned melodies. Following the program the April social committee will serve a banquet. A large attendance of Rebekahs is expected.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY.

The Young People's Society of the St. Paul Congregational church held its regular business meeting last evening in the Sunday School rooms of the church. Following the business session the members were invited to the rooms of the Young Men's Club, where they were entertained with various games. A delicious luncheon was served by the social committee.

MONDAY SEWING CLUB.

Miss Gertrude Meyer was hostess to the Monday Sewing Club Monday evening at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Carl Meyer. An enjoyable evening was spent by all. Refreshments were served.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES' AID.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. W. P. Masters, N. Walnut street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

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Red Jerseys, per peck.....35c

Hen Feed, 100 lb. bag.....\$2.09
Hen Feed, 10 lb. bag.....23c
Small Chick Feed, 10 lb.....25c

Dry Salt Jowl Bacon, lb.....11c
Smoked Jowl Bacon, lb.....12½c
Pure Lard, 2 lbs.....25c
No. 2 can White Kidney beans special, per can.....5c

Cove Oysters, solid pack, per can.....5c
No. 3 tin solid pack tomatoes, per can.....10c
Corn, 2 cans.....15c
Extra sifted peas, 2 cans.....15c

Skimmers Macaroni, 2 10c pkgs.....15c

Skimmers Macaroni, 3 5c pkgs.....10c
Puritan Flour, per bag.....69c
Red Rose Flour, per bag.....74c
Liberty Belle Flour (Spring Wheat Patent, every sack guaranteed).....79c

Jonathan Apples, per pk.....23c
Full quart jar queen olives.....25c
Fancy Country Sorghum, per gal.....50c

Country Maple Syrup, per gal.....\$1.40
California peaches, in syrup, per can.....15c
6 cans.....85c

Quart jar apple butter.....25c
Pet milk, 2 large cans.....15c
Pet milk, 3 small cans.....10c

Double dip matches, 3 boxes.....10c

Head and leaf lettuce, celery, new tomatoes, kale, new onions and radishes.

Grape fruit, oranges and bananas.

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VILLA'S DEATH REPORT A RUSE

Little Credence to Rumor on
Border.

PUSH SEARCH FOR BANDIT

General Pershing Is Keeping His Men
in the Field on the Trail of Villa
Bandits—Confirm Story of Bandit
Being Wounded.

Field Headquarters Punitive Expedition, South Namiquipa (by wireless to Columbus, N. M.), April 12.—An unofficial report says that troops K and M of the Seventh cavalry have been in a brush with Villistas in the south, killed a number and captured thirty-five.

Eight Villistas who were wounded in the Columbus fight were found. Two of them could not be moved. The other six were taken to camp to be returned to Columbus.

El Paso, Texas, April 12.—"Too good to be true" was the way the border generally greeted the Mexican report that Pancho Villa is dead and buried, and that his scattered bandits are fleeing in small bands in any direction for safety.

There is a suspicion in army circles on the border that the story of Villa's death is a cleverly concocted scheme of the wily bandit himself to throw the American troops off his trail long enough to give him a chance to get out of their reach.

The border did not credit the report, much as it wished to do so, although there were many in official and other circles who were inclined to believe there was a fifty-fifty chance that the bandit leader had died of his wounds.

It had been established without question that Villa was wounded. Gen. Gavira, commanding the Juarez forces told your correspondent that from last reports he had received from Villa the bandit chief was about to die of blood poisoning. The story of the actual death of Villa coming on top of this information led many to credit it.

A Mexican business man arriving from Chihuahua City, said the report of Villa's death had been current in that city several days and was generally credited. The report said his death occurred on the Tarasco ranch, between Guerrero and Tabasco.

Aerial Scouts Hear Report.

The report in Chihuahua was that the wound which caused the death of the bandit leader was inflicted by the outraged father of a daughter Villa had wronged. A similar story as to the cause of the death wound was brought to El Paso by C. B. Smith, from Parral.

American aerial scouts have been ordered to the scene to attempt to locate the grave. Meantime General Pershing has kept his men in the field on the train of the band known to have last been with Villa. The band was last reported to General Pershing, according to news brought to the border by aviators, as being at Bacaburachic, thirty miles west of Santa Ana. This was two days ago, however.

The news of the reported death of Villa was brought to the border by Lieutenant H. A. Dague, and E. S. Gorrell, of the American aviation corps, who had heard the story from many natives in the country around Santa Ana, Satevo and Cusi. They said all the natives generally believed it. A telegram over the Mexican Northwestern railroad from Pershing's headquarters also brought the news during the day and Mexican officials declared they had received the same news and credited it, adding that the mission of the American forces in Mexico had now been accomplished.

Americans generally do not believe that Villa, if alive, has succeeded in getting as far south as reports have put him. According to Aviators Gorrell and Dague the Villa bands were known to have camped south of Parral, as late as two days ago, as they had all been located in the vicinity of Satevo, a little to the west.

From numerous sources the American forces have secured confirmation of the Carranza claims that Villa was wounded some time ago. The natives universally report him very sick and say that his body was racked with agony.

The aviators brought the news that Villistas had looted Santa Rosalia, south of Chihuahua City recently. This was the report current around Satevo when they left. Santa Rosalia is a former noted Mexican health resort.

Troops Getting Candy.
Columbus, N. M., April 12.—Candy is coming into Columbus from all parts of the United States since it became known that the soldiers in the United States army in Mexico are anxious for sweets and unable to get them.

Woman Causes Sutor's Arrest.
Lafayette, Ind., April 12.—Arthur Meekin was arrested on complaint of Miss Florence Shadbolt, who said Meekin threatened to cut her throat when she refused to become his wife.

SENATOR REED SMOOT

Advocates Preparedness
in Home Economies.



Photo by American Press Association.

Washington, April 12.—Senator Smoot says girls should be taught to cook. He believes that tens of thousands of homes are ruined by ignorant housekeepers. The American garbage can, he declares, is the fattest one in the world.

SUGAR MEASURE IS PASSED BY SENATE

Amendment Offered by Works
Is Defeated.

Washington, April 12.—The senate passed its substitute for the house free sugar repeal resolution, extending the present duty of 1 cent a pound on sugar until May, 1920. The vote was 40 to 32.

Four Democrats, Senators Broussard, Ransdell, Newlands and Lane joined the Republicans in voting against the substitute. They favor the first repeal passed by the house.

A sharp controversy in conference between the two houses is predicted. Anticipating that the house would insist upon its resolution, Senators Simmons, Stone and Lodge were named as the senate conferees.

Unless a conference agreement is reached and approved before May 1, sugar will go on the free list until such time as the repeal or extension of the duty can be made effective.

Most of the tariff discussion did not touch upon the sugar issue, which had been talked out, but was devoted to an amendment by Senator Works of California to increase the tariff on lemons and other citrus fruits to 1 cent a pound. This was defeated by a vote of 44 to 39. Senator Phelan of California being the only Democrat to support it.

TRAIN HITS AUTO: FIVE HURT

Girl May Die of Injuries—Two Leap
to Safety.

Valparaiso, Ind., April 12.—Five persons were injured, one perhaps fatally, when a Nickel Plate railroad passenger train crashed into an automobile driven by Tony Cullman at a street crossing here.

Cullman, who is a mill owner, has wife and three children, Wilma, fourteen; Ruth, six and Walter, two, are in the hospital. Wilma, it is believed, cannot recover.

Frank Eason and Charles Schroeder escaped from the automobile by jumping and were not injured.

Although the engineer of the train asserts the whistle was blown, Cullman evidently failed to hear the warning and drove onto the tracks.

URGES DISEASE PREVENTION

Dr. Hurty Would Have Full Time
Health Officials Employed.

Richmond, Ind., April 12.—Dr. J. N. Hurty, secretary of the state board of health, caused members of the Richmond Commercial club to take notice when he told them that Richmond needs a full time health officer, working at an annual salary of \$2,000.

He asked support for a health bill which is to be presented to the next session of the legislature demanding the appointment of a full time health officer in all counties and cities with a population of more than 20,000. He said that typhoid cost the state \$3,200,000 last year.

Will Drill Another Well.

Sullivan, Ind., April 12.—Frank Brandenberg, contractor for the Ohio Oil company, will drill well No. 2 on the McGrew lease this week. This location is an offset to location No. 3 on the Clyde Alkire lease.

Vice Consul Assassinated, Report.

London, April 12.—A Reuter dispatch from Teheran, capital of Persia, states that the British vice consul at Lingeh, in southern Persia, and his two brothers have been assassinated by German agents.

COUNTER BLOW WINS TRENCHES

French Drive Germans From
Captured Lines.

NEW ATTACK IS CHECKED

Teutons Use Flaming Liquids and
Poisonous Gases in Violent Drive
on Verdun Front in Vain Effort to
Gain Headway.

Paris, April 12.—The French front between the villages of Douaumont and Vaux to the west of the Meuse, was subjected to a heavy German attack. A temporary footing was gained in some advanced trenches of the French line, but the French launched a counter attack immediately and cleared these elements so that no permanent gain for the Germans resulted from the assault.

The operations proved to be another instance of the strategical scheme which has been employed so often by the German command in the Verdun campaign of alternating heavy attacks between the two sides of the Meuse in an apparent attempt to catch the defenders unprepared through their anxiety for the strengthening of the front previously attacked.

One of the most violent of recent German attacks on the Verdun front had been made against Le Mort Homme. Shortly after this attack Germans turned their attention in an effort to recover the trenches lost to the French in the past few days south of Douaumont in the Caillotte wood sector. Flaming liquids were used to cover the attacking parties, but all the German efforts were checked by the French fire.

At the same time the Douaumont-Vaux sector was brought under a heavy fire from the German guns and this artillery preparation for an attack on this front was continued until the beginning of the assault at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Shells releasing gases irritating to the eyes were used in the final moments of the preparation. When the French had finally driven the Germans from the trench elements the latter had occupied as a result of the assault, they had about 100 prisoners in their hands.

A footing was gained by the Germans on the slopes of Le Mort Homme, the important height on the western bank of the river. This hill is the chief point against which the recent German operations on this side of the river have been directed, since it gives artillery emplacements commanding the lines on both sides of the river, and its capture by the Germans would mean a still further straightening out of the French salient which already has been compressed by the taking of Bethincourt, for weeks the apex of the salient.

The Bois Des Corbeaux was used by the Germans as the base for the night attack. Flaming liquids were thrown in connection with the assault. The fire curtain thrown by the massed French 75s to which was added concentrated machine gun fire checked assaulting columns except on the eastern slope of the hill where the Germans gained and held a footing in some small trenches.

SCHILLER HELD FOR PIRACY

Man Who Held Up British Steamer
Must Stand Trial.

New York, April 12.—United States Commissioner Houghton decided that there was sufficient evidence to warrant his sending Ernest Schiller back to Delaware to stand trial for piracy, committed on the high seas, when he captured the British steamship Matoppos single handed. If the commissioner had decided otherwise and had released Schiller, or Clarence Hudson, as the latter sometimes calls himself, the opera bouffe pirate would have immediately been rearrested in connection with deportation proceedings.

Schiller's attorney, when he heard of the steps taken to send his client out of the country as an undesirable alien, came to the conclusion that his client was better off in Delaware than he would be in the hands of the British authorities, who would probably hang him. Schiller himself is of the same opinion and has all along pleaded with the federal authorities not to send him to England.

Explosion Destroys Church.

Columbus, Ind., April 12.—The Write Creek German M. E. church is in ruins as the result of a fire which followed the explosion of the gasoline lighting plant. Alfred Behrman, who was making repairs to the plant when the explosion occurred, was severely burned about the face and hands. The loss is estimated at \$2,000.

Two Killed in Interurban Crash.

Denver, Colo., April 12.—Two persons were killed and two others probably fatally injured when a Denver interurban car struck an automobile at the Federal boulevard crossing.

Pass River and Harbor Bill.

Washington, April 12.—The river and harbor bill, authorizing the expenditure of \$39,608,410 for river and harbor work, was passed by the house by a vote of 210 to 133.

GERMANS PLOT TO EVADE BLOCKADE

British Attorney-General Re-
veals Discovery.

AT WORK IN UNITED STATES

Goods Shipped to Sweden Declared to
Be Destined For Germany—Docu-
mentary Evidence Secured by Brit-
ish Officials and Made Public.

London, April 12.—The prize court reserved decision in the case of the American steamer Joseph W. Fordney, whose cargo of cattle and seed cake the British government is endeavoring to have condemned on the ground that it was destined for Germany, although ostensibly bound for Sweden.

The attorney-general, Sir Frederick Smith, said that by the discovery of documentary evidence there had been revealed a gigantic organization to evade the blockade of Germany.

The person referred to as Albert in certain interrupted cablegrams, he asserted, was the chief financial adviser of the German government in the United States. Sir Frederick said Albert was the government figure in all these "machinations" in America, and that it had been found he was handling millions of dollars in these matters without apparent embarrassment.

The attorney-general also read some of the letters taken from James F. J. Archibald, in an endeavor to prove Albert's connection with the Fordney's cargo. He ridiculed the idea that "the good Albert" was engaged in speculation for the supply of cattle and foodstuffs for Sweden.

The reservation of the decision in the case of the Joseph W. Fordney also applied to the cargoes of three other neutral steamships, whose cases were argued simultaneously. These steamers are the Louisiana and Tomsby, Danish, and the Nordic, Swedish, all of whose cargoes were said to be destined for Sweden.

ILLINOIS IS FOR SHERMAN

Favorite Son Endorsed in Presidential
Preference Primary.

Chicago, April 12.—Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman is the choice of Illinois Republicans for the presidency. Returns in the presidential preference primary show the Republican state delegates are pledged to the support of Sherman and were elected by large majorities.

On the Democratic side no one is running for delegate to the convention who is not pledged to President Wilson.

In the Republican fight for organization control early returns indicate Charles S. Deneen, twice governor of the state, has defeated Mayor William Hale Thompson, and that Roy O. West will be re-elected as national committeeman.

In the Democratic battle it is the old feud of twenty years' standing between Roger C. Sullivan against a Lewis-Dunne-Harrison combination for control of the state convention and committee. The early returns indicate that Sullivan was the victor.

\$20,000,000 CHINESE LOAN

American Capital to Be Invested in
China.

Philadelphia, April 12.—The arrangement of a \$20,000,000 Chinese loan through Lee, Higginson & Co., it is believed here, makes the first direct step in establishing an open door to China for American capital.

The proceeds of this first loan, as of others which are expected to follow in due course, will be expended in industrial, water power and electrical and utilities development in China. American capital is thus to be given the opening to go into Chinese products on terms which the bankers believe to be very safe and advantageous.

Mail Delivered by Autos.

Washington, April 12.—The post office department will motorize the rural service in Hendricks county, Ind. There will be ten automobile routes and three horse-drawn vehicle routes. The motor routes will be as follows: Three out of Danville and one each out of Clayton, Brownsburg, Coatesville, Plainfield, Pittsboro, Linton and North Salem.

Masher Gets Heavy Sentence.

Marion, Ind., April 12.—Samuel Jones, age thirty, of Ft. Branch, Ind., pleaded guilty to annoying women on the streets and was sentenced by Mayor Batchelor to the state penal farm for 155 days. Charles Young, police patrol driver, saw Jones accost a woman, and jumped from his automobile in time to catch him.

Sixteen of Seventeen Unfit.

South Bend, Ind., April 12.—Seventeen young men from nineteen to twenty-one years old, have applied for enlistment in the United States navy at the recruiting station here, but only one has been able to pass the examination. Many men offering to enlist in the army also are unable to pass the examinations.

MEREDITH NICHOLSON

Indiana Author Appointed
Assistant Secretary of War.



Washington, April 12.—Meredith Nicholson of Indianapolis practically has been agreed on by President Wilson and Secretary Baker for appointment as assistant secretary of war. Mr. Nicholson is a close personal friend of Mr. Baker and is understood to have the support of Vice President Marshall.

ALLIES LAND TROOPS ON GREEK ISLAND

Complete "Iron Ring" Around
Greece.

Athens (via London), April 12.—The allies have landed troops on the Greek island of Cephalonia on the west coast of Greece, principally at the island's chief seaport, Argostoli, and Lixuri, five miles to the north.

The landing explained officially by the French and British representatives to Greece, is intended to establish a naval base for "defensive purposes" and has caused a new sensation in Athens. The Greek premier, M. Skouloudis, has sent strong protests to London and Paris against the allies' action, terming it "a fresh infringement upon Greek sovereignty."

The significance of the landing of allied troops on the largest and most important of the Greek islands in the Ionian sea is two fold. It practically completes the "iron ring" which has been gradually drawn around Greece by the allies through the establishment of naval bases and, secondly, it represents a powerful base for possible future operations against the Austrian, German and Bulgarian armies in Albania, as well as against the flank of an army which might attempt a drive on Salonica.

MEXICAN PLOTTERS SHOT

Charged With Attempting to Over-
throw Carranza Government.

El Paso, Texas, April 12.—Florentino Hernandez, Nicholas Chavarrera and Jose Y. Borul, three of the conspirators recently placed under arrest in Juarez on a charge of conspiring to turn over the garrison to Felix Diaz's supporters, paid for their indiscretion with their lives.

Just as daylight was breaking over the sandy Mesas of the Mexican town the three men were marched before a squad of Carranza soldiers to the ancient cemetery on the chalky hill to the west of the town. As the rays of the sun began to send their first glimmer over the white crosses in the little burial spot, the rifles of the firing squad sounded. Three limp forms sank to the earth, a dozen women and children shrieked and the crime of being against Carranza had been avenged.

Former Ohio Woman Now Mayor.

Sawtelle, Cal., April 12.—Mrs. Ellen French Aldrich, clubwoman, formerly of Dayton, O., will be the first woman mayor of Sawtelle, an official court showing she received the largest vote polled by any candidate for places on the board of trustees.

Requests Name Be Taken Off.

Missoula, Mont., April 12.—Theodore Roosevelt has sent a telegram to ex-Senator J. M. Dixon, requesting that his name be withheld from the ballot in the Montana presidential primaries to be held April 21.

BASE BALL

Games Today.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Philadelphia at Boston.
Washington at New York.
Detroit at Chicago.
St. Louis at Cleveland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York at Philadelphia.
Boston at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Cincinnati.
Pittsburg at St. Louis.

WEST POINTERS IN CONTINENT TALK

Swap Jokes by Phone During
Alumni Dinner.

GATHER IN MANY CITIES.

During Course of Evening Generals,
Colonels, Majors, Captains and Lieu-
tenants Exchange Greetings—New
York Hotel Made Over to Represent
Military Reservation on the Hudson.

New York.—From the Atlantic to the Pacific West Pointers recently celebrated the one hundred and fourteenth anniversary of the founding of the Military academy at West Point. In New York more than 300 dined at the Hotel Astor, as many more dined in San Francisco, while about 200 sat about the tables in Chicago. In lesser numbers the sons of the Point gathered in St. Louis, in New Orleans, in Galveston, in San Antonio, while in far away Honolulu and Manila other hundreds assembled and sang the anthem "Hail, Alma Mater, Dear," and yelled the famous "Rah! rah! rah!" of the "army."

Through the courtesy of the American Telephone company the diners in New York, Chicago and San Francisco were linked together, and in the course of the evening generals and colonels and majors and captains and lieutenants exchanged greetings and cracked jokes at one another's expense across the continent. For instance, Colonel John N. Bellinger of Governors Island



Photo by American Press Association.
COLONEL EDWIN F. GLENN, CHIEF OF
STAFF, EASTERN DEPARTMENT.

sympathized with his old cadet chum Holabird in Chicago because of the latter's thinning locks, while Holabird retorted by asking the South Carolina colonel why it was that his forty odd summers did not make him "less noisy" than was the case when you were the noisiest youngster at West Point.

Major General J. Franklin Bell, commanding the western department of the army, with headquarters in San Francisco, who was the ranking officer at the Pacific coast function, talked with Colonel J. C. F. Tillson in New York and was surprised to learn that the colonel was not one of the "lucky chaps" chasing Villa. Had the United States kept Vera Cruz and had Frederick Funston remained in command there, General Bell, who was relieved a year ago of the border command by the little Kansan, would probably be directing operations from San Antonio.

Brigadier General E. C. Young, who was also in San Francisco, asked Colonel W. H. Hart, who dined in New York, some very personal questions, while General Charles King, the famous army novelist, who dined with the crowd in Chicago, was overheard by the New Yorkers to tell Colonel W. H. Hunter, who was in Chicago, that he might write a story based on the pursuit of Pancho Villa. Lieutenant Phil Matthews of Fort Totten also got a word in and told Lieutenant A. J. Davis, who was in San Francisco, that West Point was sure to beat Annapolis again next fall.

The grand ballroom of the Hotel Astor, in which the New York dinner was served, was made over to represent West Point.

Among those at the dinner were Colonel C. P. Townsley, the superintendent of the Military academy; Major General George W. Goethals, governor of the Panama canal zone; Colonel John L. Chamberlain, inspector general of the eastern department; Colonel Edwin F. Glenn, chief of staff on Governors Island; Captain Halstead Dorey, aid on the staff of Major General Leonard Wood; Colonels C. P. Echols, Samuel E. Tillman of the academic staff of West Point; Colonel O. B. Mitcham and Major W. I. (Texas) Westervelt, the ordnance experts from Sandy Hook; ex-Police Commissioners Theodore A. Bingham and Douglas I. McKay, Captain Matthew B. Hanna, Brigadier General H. F. Hodges, commanding the North Atlantic coast artillery district; Colonel John M. Carson, Captain George R. Goethals, Captain H. J. Koehler, Colonel C. M. Truitt, Colonel W. G. Haan, Colonel Beverly W. Dunn, Loyal Farragut, Major W. J. Hawkins, Colonel Delamere Skerrett, Captain G. W. Beavers and William C. Muschenheim, the last named the only diner from civilian life.

THE PRINCE OF GRAUSTARK

By
GEORGE BARR M'CUTCHEON
Author of "Graustark,"
"Beverly of Graustark," Etc.

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CHAPTER XVIII.

Mr. Blithers in Graustark.

IMMEDIATELY upon receiving her letter Roland sent for Quinnox and Gourou, who were stopping at a hotel nearby.

"I am ready to proceed to Edelweiss, my friends," said he. "Miss Guile has departed. Will you book accommodations on the earliest train for home?"

"I have already seen to that, highness," said Gourou calmly. "We leave at 6 this evening. Count Quinnox has wired the prime minister that you will arrive in Edelweiss at 3 tomorrow afternoon, God willing."

"You knew that she had gone?"

"I happened to be in the Nordbahnhof when she boarded the train at midnight," replied the baron, unmoved.

The prince was thoughtful, his brow clouding with a troubled frown. "I suppose I shall now have to face my people with the confession that will confirm their worst fears. I may as well say to you, my friends, that I mean to make her my wife even though it costs me my kingdom. Do you think they will accept her—as their princess?" cried Robin hopefully.

"I submit that it will first be necessary for you to induce Miss Guile to accept you as her prince," said Gourou mildly. "That doesn't appear to be settled at present."

He took alarm. "What do you mean? Your remark has a sinister sound. Has anything transpired to—"

"She has disappeared, highness, quite effectually. That is all that I can say," said Gourou, and Robin was conscious of a sudden chill and the rush of cold moisture to his brow. "But let us prepare to confront an even more substantial condition. A prospective father in law is descending upon our land. He is groping in the dark, and he is angry. He has lost a daughter somewhere in the wilds of Europe, and he realizes that he cannot hope to become the grand father of princes unless he can produce a mother for them. At present he seems to be desperate. Have I told you that he was in this city last night? He arrived at the Bristol a few hours prior to the significant departure of Miss Guile. Moreover, he has chartered a special train and is leaving today for Edelweiss. Count Quinnox has taken the precaution to advise the prime minister of his approach and has impressed upon him the importance of decrying any sort of popular demonstration against him on his arrival. Romano reports that the people are in an angry mood. I would suggest that you prepare, in a way, to placate them, now that Miss Guile has dropped out of sight."

It must not be supposed for an instant that the city of Edelweiss and the court of Graustark were unimpressed by the swift approach and abrupt arrival of Mr. Blithers. His coming had been heralded for days in advance. The city was rudely expectant, the court uneasy.

When the special train pulled into the station Mr. Blithers turned to his wife and said:

"Cheer up, Lou. This isn't a funeral."

"But there is quite a mob out there," she said, peering through the car window. "How can we be sure that they are friendly?"

"Don't you worry," said Mr. Blithers confidently. "They are not likely to throw rocks at the goose that lays the golden egg."

The crowd was big, immobile, surly. It lined the sidewalks in the vicinity of the station and stared with curious, half closed eyes at the portly capitalist and his party, which, by the way, was rendered somewhat imposing in size by augmentation in the shape of lawyers from Paris and London, clerks and stenographers from the Paris office, to say nothing of a lady's maid, a valet, a private secretary and a doctor.

He was somewhat amazed and disgruntled by the absence of silk hat ambassadors from the castle, with words of welcome for him on his arrival. There was a plentiful supply of policemen, but no cabinet ministers. He was on the point of censuring his secretary for not making it clear to the government that he was due to arrive at such and such an hour and minute when a dapper young man in uniform—he couldn't tell whether he was a patrolman or a captain—came up and saluted.

"I am William W. Blithers," said the multimillionaire sharply.

"I am an official guide and interpreter, sir," announced the young man suavely.

"Not necessary—not necessary at all," exploded Mr. Blithers. "Any one desiring to speak to me will have to do it in English." He then marched out to the carriages.

He was in some doubt at first, but as his carriage passed swiftly between the staring ranks on the sidewalks he began to doff his hat and bow to the right and left. His smiles were returned by the multitude, and so his progress was more or less of a triumph after all.

At the Regenetz he found additional cause for irritation. No one was there to receive him except the ingratiating manager of the establishment.

The manager rubbed his hands and smiled. "This is one of our gala days, Mr. Blithers. You could not have arrived at a time more opportune. I have taken the precaution to reserve chairs for you on the veranda. The procession will pass directly in front of the hotel on its way to Castle avenue."

"What procession?" demanded Mr. Blithers.

"The prince is returning today from his trip around the world," said the manager.

"He ought to have been back long ago," said Mr. Blithers wrathfully and mopped his brow with a handkerchief rendered unsteady by a mental convulsion. He was thinking of his hat lifting experience.

True to schedule, the procession passed the hotel at 5.

Prince Robin sat in the royal coach, and his brown, handsome, manly face was aglow with smiles. Instead of a silk hat he lifted a gay and



"Welcome home! Welcome! Hurrah!"

far from immaculate conception in straw; instead of a glittering uniform he wore a suit of blue serge and a peculiarly American tie of crimson hue. He looked more like a popular athlete returning from conquests abroad than a prince of ancient lineage. But the crowd cheered itself hoarse over this bright faced youngster who rode by in a coach of gold and brandished a singularly unregal chapeau.

His alert eyes were searching the crowd along the street, in the balconies and windows with an eager intensity. He was looking for the sweet familiar face of the loveliest girl on earth. If she were there he wondered what her thoughts might be on beholding the humble R. Schmidt in the role of a royal prince receiving the laudations of the loving multitude!

Passing the Regenetz, his eyes swept the rows of cheering people banded upon its wide terrace and verandas. He saw Mr. and Mrs. Blithers well down in front, and for a second his heart seemed to stand still. Would she be with them? It was with a distinct sense of relief that he realized that she was not with the smiling Americans.

Mr. Blithers waved his hat and, instead of shouting the incoherent greeting of the native spectators, called out in vociferous tones: "Welcome home! Welcome! Hurrah!"

"Oh, what a remarkably handsome, manly boy he is, Will," sighed Mrs. Blithers.

Mr. Blithers nodded his head proudly. "He certainly is. I'll bet my head that Maud is crazy about him already. She can't help it, Lou. That trip on the Jupiter was a godsend. We'll have plain sailing from now on, Lou."

Mr. Blithers indeed experienced plain sailing for the ensuing twenty hours. It was not until just before he set forth at 2 the next afternoon to attend by special appointment a meeting of the cabinet in the council chamber at the castle that he encountered the first symptom of squalls ahead.

He had sent his secretary to the castle with a brief note suggesting an early conference. It naturally would be of an informal character, as there was no present business before them. The contracts had already been signed by the government and by his authorized agents. So far as the loan was concerned there was nothing more to be said.

and kicking when the hour of reckoning arrived.

Mr. Blithers was in the mood to be amiable. He anticipated considerable pleasure in visiting the ancient halls of his prospective grandchildren.

The first shock to the placidity of Mr. Blithers came with the brief note in reply to his request for an informal conference. The lord chamberlain curtly informed him that the cabinet would be in session at 2 and would be pleased to grant him an audience of half an hour, depending on his promptness in appearing.

Mr. Blithers was not used to being granted audiences. He consoled himself, however, with the thought that matters would not always be as they were at present. There would be a decided change of tune later on.

It would be folly to undertake the depiction of Mr. Blithers' first impressions of the castle and its glories. To begin with, he lost no small amount of his assurance when he discovered that the great gates in the wall surrounding the park were guarded by resplendent dragons who demanded his "pass." After the officer in charge had inspected the lord chamberlain's card as if he had never seen one before, he ceremoniously indicated to a warden that the gates were to be opened. There was a great clanking of chains, the drawing of iron bolts, the whirl of a windlass, and the ponderous gates swung slowly ajar.

Mr. Blithers caught his breath—and from that instant until he found himself crossing the great hall in the wake of an attendant delegated to conduct him to the council chamber his sensations are not to be described. It is only necessary to say that he was in a reverential condition, and that is saying a great deal for Mr. Blithers.

He was ushered into a chamber, at the opposite end of which was a large, imposing door—closed. Beside this door stood a slim, erect figure in the red, blue and gold uniform of an officer of the castle guard. As Mr. Blithers approached this rigid figure he recognized a friend, and a warm glow pervaded his heart. There could be no mistaking the smart mustache and supercilious eyebrows. It was Lieutenant Dank.

"How do you do?" said Mr. Blithers. "Glad to see you again." His voice sounded unnatural. He extended his hand.

Dank gave him a ceremonious salute, bowed slightly, but without a smile, and then threw open the door. "Mr. Blithers, my lords," he announced, and stood aside to let the stranger in a strange land pass within.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Weather Signals.

Warning—One long blast.
One long—Fair weather, stationary temperature.

Two long—Rain or snow, stationary temperature.

Three long—Local rain, stationary temperature.

One long, one short—Fair weather, lower temperature.

One long, two short—Rain weather, higher temperature.

Two long, one short—Rain or snow, lower temperature.

Two long, two short—Rain or snow, higher temperature.

Three long, one short—Local rain, lower temperature.

Three long, two short—Local rain, higher temperature.

Three short—Cold wave.

Workmen Find Mastodon.

Sioux Falls, S. D., April 11.—Workmen excavating for a basement uncovered the remains of a mastodon. The "find" embraces bones of what evidently was an animal large enough to have been the grandfather of all elephants, teeth ten inches long and from three to four inches square and a curving tusk ten inches in diameter at the base and more than six feet long.

Farmer Buys Dirigible.

Hazelwood, Ind., April 11.—Carl Labertow, a farmer near here, has bought a small dirigible balloon of the Zeppelin type. He denies he expects to raid neighboring towns, but says he only seeks amusement and hopes to make profitable flights at county fairs this summer.

Horse Saves Injured Master.

Sunbury, Pa., April 11.—When Jacob Gulick of Stonington, near here, was thrown from his horse and severely injured, the faithful animal started for home. The family heard a noise outside the door and found the horse pawing. They found Gulick after a long search.

Von Papen in Holland.

London, April 11.—Holland is being overrun with agents of the German secret service, according to a dispatch from Amsterdam. The latest of these agents to arrive in Holland is Captain Frank von Papen, former military attache to the German embassy in Washington.

Different Girls.

"I found that astronomer rather dull. He used to talk to me about the stars." "I don't find him dull," averred the other girl ecstatically. "He says he talks to the stars about me."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Definition.

"Pa, what is pessimism?" "Mental dyspepsia, my son."—Boston Transcript.

Everyone reads the Want Ads.

PREPARED TO FEED ARMY IN MEXICO

Quartermaster's Department
Says Supply Is Ample.

PLANS ALREADY WORKED OUT

Should the National Guard Be Ordered to the Border Arrangements Have Been Made to Furnish Necessary Supplies—Enough on Hand at San Antonio to Last Three Months.

The problem of provisioning an army of any size that may be sent to the Mexican border or into Mexico has not caused any uncertainty in the quartermaster's department. The organization and supplies are adequate for any emergency.

Of the 120,000 troops in the United States army, according to military estimates, 30,000 or 40,000 are available for Mexican service, the remainder being either in colonial possessions or necessary for garrison duty within the country. There are about 129,000 men in the national guard, of whom possibly 100,000 might be available. As the men of the regular army who might go to Mexico are already being fed through the quartermaster's corps, the problem in their case would be one of transporting their supplies, which would mean no momentous difficulty.

Using the more extensive work of feeding a large enrollment of the national guard as an illustration of what would be done, Colonel A. L. Smith, depot quartermaster in New York, explained the methods and machinery of his department. He said the work would be done thus:

If the president called for a large force of national guardsmen they would be mobilized in each state at some mobilization point already determined. Until the guardsmen of any state reached such mobilization point they would be fed by the state authorities, but as soon as they were quartered at the mobilization point they would come under the authority and care of the United States government. They would be fed through the quartermaster's corps, the depot quartermaster in each district taking charge of all of the men mobilized in his district. This would not present serious difficulties, Colonel Smith said, because of the comparatively small number of men who would be at any one point.

With Travel Rations.

After mobilization was complete the men would be sent to the border, each supplied with travel rations consisting of only sufficient food to last him until his arrival at whatever concentration point on the border he was assigned to. As soon as the time of arrival of men at any concentration point was known the depot quartermaster in San Antonio would be notified, and he would provide food for the men upon their arrival.

After all of the enrolled soldiers were in the concentration centers at the border their food would be supplied from St. Louis and Kansas City, which are the supply points for the southern department. The facilities for collecting food at these points are ample. The government now has monthly contracts permitting considerable increase for supplying the soldiers at present quartered in the range of the supply depots, and on these contracts sufficient food to provision a much larger force than is at present on the border could be obtained. Furthermore, the quartermaster's organization of depots and purchasing agents is in perfect condition, it was said, and no difficulty in quickly buying foodstuffs in the open market and in storing and transporting them is anticipated.

Three Months' Provisions on Hand.

In the quartermaster's depots in El Paso, Columbus and San Antonio, according to the officials, there are at present three months' provisions for 15,000 or 20,000 men, which means one month's supply for from 45,000 to 60,000 men. In addition to this, 100,000 men could be supplied with food for three months' use within twenty-four hours, the depot quartermaster said.

Colonel Smith did not think that there would be any difficulty in purchasing food in the open market. He pointed out that, no matter how many men went to the border or to Mexico, their going would mean just so many mouths the fewer to feed in the localities which they left. Higher prices or a shortage of food would not result, therefore, according to expectations. It was said food would be purchased for the most part in large cities where the effect of the purchases on the market would be almost negligible.

Month's Food For 25,000 Men.

The amount of food necessary to feed 25,000 for thirty days, or 750,000 rations, was estimated in the depot quartermaster's office as follows:

Fresh beef, 850,000 pounds; bacon, 75,000 pounds; flour, 843,750 pounds; dried vegetables, 100,000 pounds; fresh vegetables, 750,000 pounds; evaporated fruit, 60,000 pounds; coffee, 52,500 pounds; sugar, 150,000 pounds; milk, 61,250 cans; vinegar, 3,750 gallons; pepper, 7,500 cans; spices, 2,625 cans; lard, 30,000 pounds; butter or oleo, 23,500 pounds; flavoring extracts, 1,400 bottles; sirup, 7,500 gallons.

In addition, these supplies would be necessary: Laundry soap, 30,000 pounds; hand soap, 180,000 cakes; candles, 40,000 pounds; matches, 25,000 boxes.



Gums shrinking? Danger ahead!

Go now to a mirror and examine your mouth? Do your gums look "rinsed out," shrunken? Do you see a jagged appearance in the gum-line?

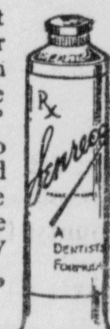
If so, see your dentist. He will tell you that you have pyorrhea, and that to save your teeth you will have to fight this dread disease at once.

From pyorrhea come by far the greater part of all tooth troubles. Unless treated and checked, it will result not only in the shrinking and malformation of your gums and of the bony structure into which your teeth are set, but in the loss of the teeth themselves.

A specific for pyorrhea has been discovered recently by dental science, and is now offered for daily treatment in Senreco Tooth Paste. Senreco combats the germ of the disease. Its regular use insures your teeth against the attack or further progress of pyorrhea.

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Fire Districts.

Seymour's fire map shows that the five wards are divided into twenty-two fire districts and when an alarm is given the fire bell gives the number of the ward in taps, then after a pause the district number is sounded. When calling the telephone exchange for a fire alarm always give the street and number where the fire is located. Don't attempt to call by fire districts.

FIRST WARD.

District 13, bounded by Vine, Fourth, Penn, Railroad and B. & O. Railroad.

District 14, bounded by Vine, Fourth, B. & O. Railroad and Corporation limits.

District 15, bounded by Vine, Fourth, Seventh and corporation limits.

District 16, bounded by Vine, Fourth, Seventh and Penn. Railroad.

District 17, bounded by Seventh, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

SECOND WARD.

District 23, bounded by Poplar, Third, B. & O. Railroad and Pennsylvania Railroad.

District 24, bounded by Poplar, Third, Central Avenue and B. & O. Railroad.

District 25, bounded by Central Avenue, Third, Fifth and Pennsylvania Railroad.

District 26, bounded by Fifth, Seventh, Central and Penn. Railroad.

District 27, bounded by Central Avenue, Seventh, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

THIRD WARD.

District 34, bounded by Vine, South, B. & O. Railroad and Penn. Railroad.

District 35, bounded by Vine, South, B. & O. Railroad and corporation limits.

District 36, bounded by Laurel, Centennial, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

District 37, bounded by Laurel, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

FOURTH WARD.

District 42, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Penn. Railroad and B. & O. Railroad.

District 43, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Poplar and B. & O. Railroad.

District 45, bounded by Poplar, Brown, B. & O. Railroad and corporation limits.

FIFTH WARD.

District 51, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

District 52, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Poplar and McDonald.

District 53, bounded by Brown, Poplar, Lynn and McDonald.

District 54, bounded by Brown, Lynn, McDonald and Buckeye.

District 56, bounded by Brown, Buckeye, McDonald and corporation limits.

Advertised List.

April 10, 1916.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the Post Office at Seymour, Indiana and if not delivered in 14 days will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

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Mrs. Mabel Allen.

Mrs. Harry Miller.

Lillian Trueblood.

MEN.

Othel Donahue.

Mr. A. Holmes.

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| Seymour | 8:40 am | 8:40 am | 2:45 pm |
| Bedford | 8:50 am | 8:50 am | 4:25 pm |
| Odon | 9:00 am | 9:00 am | 5:43 pm |
| Elkhart | 9:12 am | 9:12 am | 6:55 pm |
| Beehunter | 9:30 am | 9:30 am | 8:10 pm |
| Linton | 9:46 am | 9:46 am | 9:22 pm |
| Jasenville | 10:05 am | 10:05 am | 10:44 pm |
| r. Terre Haute | 10:10 am | 10:10 am | 11:45 pm |

SOUTHBOUND.

| —Daily— | | | |
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| Leave | No. 1 | No. 3 | No. 5 |
| Terre Haute | 6:50 am | 12:30 pm | 5:50 pm |
| Jasenville | 6:46 am | 1:28 pm | 6:47 pm |
| Linton | 7:14 am | 1:54 pm | 7:16 pm |
| Beehunter | 7:30 am | 2:06 pm | 7:28 pm |
| Elkhart | 7:44 am | 2:24 pm | 7:46 pm |
| Odon | 7:56 am | 2:36 pm | 8:00 pm |
| Bedford | 8:15 am | 3:58 pm | |
| Ar. Seymour | 10:50 am | 5:25 pm | |

No. 28, mixed train Northbound, leaves Westport 8:30 a. m., arrives at Seymour 10:40 a. m., daily, except Sunday.

No. 27, mixed train Southbound, leaves Seymour 3:20 p. m., arrives Westport 6:06 p. m., daily except Sunday.

TAX COLLECTORS START TO REMOVE FURNITURE

Scott Johnson, Local Barber, Says Treasurer's Delivery Bond was Not Properly Filled Out.

One of the first instances where the tax collectors who are employed by County Treasurer John E. Belding to collect delinquent taxes tried to remove personal property to satisfy alleged claims of the county occurred today when part of the furniture was taken from the barber shop of Scott Johnson, St. Louis avenue. The claim was settled by Mr. Johnson before the goods were hauled away and the collectors added an extra half dollar for drayage. Mr. Johnson asserts that the collectors damaged his tools and property and threatens to bring suit to determine the legality of their action. Notices of taxes due sent by county treasurer to Mr. Johnson show that his original assessment for 1914 payable in 1915 was \$5.35. On August 16, 1915, according to the postoffice mark on the envelope, the county treasurer sent him another notice that his taxes were delinquent and that \$6.39 was due.

Recently Mr. Johnson received another notice from the county treasurer that the sum of \$9.51 was due and that the amount had been given to the collectors for collection. Several days ago he received what purported to be a notice that his furniture, the articles listed, would be removed unless the amount was settled by a certain hour on a specified day. This morning the collectors ordered two barber chairs, a dresser and one or two chairs removed. Mr. Johnson allowed them to take the furniture to the sidewalk and then offered to settle. The collectors then added another fifty cents for their work, making the total paid \$10.01. Mr. Johnson insists that the treasurer's delivery bond was not properly made out, in that it was not signed and that the name of the second party was not included in the notice. He is highly indignant over the action of the collectors and says that the transaction has not yet been finished. He said this afternoon he had conferred with an attorney and felt sure the treasurer had overstepped his bounds and intended to file suit for damages.

German M. E. Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the German M. E. church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Mabel Hodapp, St. Louis Avenue.

Food Sale.

Saturday beginning at 11 o'clock at the Hoover Furniture Store. Benefit Loyal Devoir Society, Christian church. a12-14d

DAY LIGHT SCHEDULE

Germany and Austria Thirty Years Behind Old Indiana.

Germany, Austria and other warring countries of Europe, which have begun to conserve daylight, are thirty years behind Indiana. A cable dispatch from Berlin recently spoke of the daylight conservation idea as having been adopted there. The tenor of the dispatch created the impression that it was something new, when, in fact, the idea was adopted thirty years ago at the Speeds cement mills. It was about 1886 when David Cook, manager, who still has charge of the plant, which produces Portland cement, realized it was a sin to waste the fine daylight, which permits work at 6 a. m., even on most wintry days.

He studied the matter and soon the whistle for going to work was sounded at 6 in the morning. It took some time for the men to get used to the change, but now they would not swap back to the old system. They begin an hour earlier and quit an hour earlier, and even during the winter the ten-hour day can be made.

The people of Sellersburg and all the farmers nearby have adopted the Speeds time. As a result, visitors whose watches run on standard time have difficulty in catching trains if they do not bear in mind the hour's difference between standard time and the Speeds mill time.—Scottsburg Chronicle.

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LETTERS SHOW EXISTING CONDITION ALONG BORDER

N. S. More Receives Communications From a Friend Who Owns a Ranch near Columbus, N. M.

Conditions along the border near Columbus, New Mex., the scene of the recent Villa outbreak which led to the chase of the U. S. troops into Mexico in pursuit of the bandit, are shown in their true light in communications received by N. S. Moore, East Sixth street, from Seymour Pierce, a former Hoosier and close friend of Mr. Moore, who owns a ranch near Columbus.

In his letters Mr. Pierce says:

Will drop you note this morning. Of course you know by the papers of our Mexican trouble. Have not been home much of nights and only in and out in day, as Ollie can tell you my place is in pass between two mountain ranges where everyone has to pass in and out of Mexico by my place so we have had some little trouble by raiders. Since this trouble started there has not been one second that we have not carried guns day and night. Up to the present, (last week) I have helped in three night rides. There have been 19 dead Mexicans found scattered over the valley at different times in the past 5 days. Last Thursday evening four of us went after 8 Mexicans that were armed and horseback, we never got close enough to do any good, but before they got back into Mexico some one else got 7 of them. We all go to school house of nights and sleep, not at all pleasant and besides the feeling one has all the time isn't pleasant. So unless things take more promising look in next week or ten days think we will just get out for awhile. Am not going and leave my neighbors, for they have stayed by me and up to present all told the citizens have lost only 20 and the Mexicans over 300 on U. S. soil so that is selling out for good price. Now have no fear for me, for I am using all the precautions that can be used and when it gets too rank will go out some where else until it's over. The Gilson Bros. are arranging to fortify one of their ranch houses and all move over there so, they have offered me job and invite us over, can put our stock back in mountains, but think maybe things will be settled soon.

Have only one thing to ask of you and that is that should anything happen to me during this affair. If it ever comes handy to you treat my wife as you have always treated me. However, am not counting on anything happening.

Now guess this is all, will try and write you again soon, however going in and out so much don't get time to write often.

As ever,

Seymour Pierce,
Waterloo.

Suppose you think we are dead because we have not written sooner, but have not been home much, past week. I know you are reading the papers and know how Columbus was burned and the people killed. I had been over to my wife's farm for a week, running a well rig, just came home for the night, next morning heard the shooting and saw the smoke. A man came by in a car, told us what was going on, I mounted my horse, rode all morning, warning my neighbors and gathering a crowd, went in town about noon. By that time the U. S. troops had driven the Mexicans across the border but the sights I have seen would make the blood run cold. To see women and children lying in the streets, shot and beat, and your friends at that, makes one feel like joining in the raid. Of the nineteen Americans killed I knew all but four. And some of them were my very best friends. I helped to bury one of my near neighbor's daughters. Young lady been married just one year, she was killed. Her husband cannot possibly live. Just as we were ready to start to the cemetery the Mexicans started another attack about two miles away. We were delayed about two hours, and when we did go, only the men were allowed to go, then each man wore a six shooter and carried a Winchester rifle, with a 100 rounds of ammunition. While the minister prayed I held his gun, then we marched out carrying the casket in one hand, our rifles in the other. Then at night we all put our wives in one house, while we men stood guard through the night. The troops killed more than 100 Mexicans, driving them back across the border.

Am too tired to write more to-night. Will write you long letter soon.

Seymour Pierce,
Columbus, New Mexico.

Seymour Temperatures.

Reported by J. Thos. Hays, Seymour weather observer.

April 12, 1916. Max. 83 Min. 53

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Arthur, who have been living at Norman Station for some time, have gone to Bloomington for future residence.

The body of Beatrice Griffin, who died at Indianapolis, of tuberculosis, passed through this city this morning on the way to Loogootee where the funeral services will be held.

The spring like weather today gave a boost to spring gardening and early lawn work. Many residents took advantage of the warm weather to put their lawns in shape so the work would be done by the time of the general clean-up week.

Francis Kinworthy was arrested last night on the charge of assault and battery, his wife being the plaintiff. The case was brought up in the mayor's court this morning and Kinworthy plead not guilty. He was to have been given a trial this afternoon.

The concrete work at the site of the new federal building furnishes an attraction for a large number of people each day. The construction of the concrete slab has been delayed on account of difficulty in getting the retaining rods to be used in the piers.

Newton Gibson and daughter, of New Albany, were here a short time today visiting his cousin, J. Newt. Gibson. Mr. Gibson is an engineer on the Pennsylvania Lines and was injured several days ago when he stepped from his engine at New Albany.

The Rev. J. H. Moore, of this city, went to Vallonia today, where he will lecture to the congregation of the Christian church of that place, on the subject, "Commercialized Vice." The Rev. Mr. Moore is lecturing under the direction of The World's Purity Federation.

The Rev. William A. Schruoff, pastor of the German M. E. church, went to Louisville today to call on Miss Anna Becker, of this city, who recently underwent a serious operation at a Louisville hospital. Miss Becker's condition is satisfactory, according to her surgeon.

At a recent meeting of the Deputy Camp Meeting Association held at Deputy it was decided to hold the camp meeting this year from August 10th to 20th, inclusive. The directors expect to secure the best program possible and are looking forward to an excellent meeting this year.

Another arrest was made by the local authorities this morning when after a severe questioning Frank Alexander pleaded guilty to being a party to the petty thieving which has been going on in this city for some time. Alexander was charged with petit larceny and placed in jail with Millard Coombs who is charged with the same offense. The boys will be tried later.

Richard Madden, of Redding township, was here today on business. He has not been in the best of health during the winter, but is rapidly regaining his strength and says if he improves as much during the next two weeks as he did the last two weeks he will begin splitting rails before the end of the month. Mr. Madden is about eighty-five years of age and is well preserved.

The fire department was called to the home of R. C. Miller, 414 South Walnut street, this morning at 11:35 o'clock. The fire was on the roof, resulting from sparks which fell from the chimney of the house next door. The fire had gained practically no headway by the time the department arrived and was put out by means of the chemical system. The loss was small.

The drag and scraper have been used on some of the gravel streets in the city with excellent results. The block on Bill street just east of the city park has been in a deplorable condition during the winter and early spring, but the surface has been leveled and the street is now in much better condition. Similar work has been done in other sections of the city and will be continued during the summer.

Superintendent Paul Van Riper, of the Franklin city schools, has accepted the superintendency of the Laporte schools next year. He formerly lived in Hayden and has many acquaintances here. He has been at the head of the Franklin schools for seven years. During a part of the time he has been an associate member of the Franklin College faculty, conducting several classes a week. He was graduated from Franklin college and afterwards took a post-graduate course at Columbia in New York City. The position at Laporte carries a salary of \$2,500 a year.

The Lutheran Social Aid Society

has arranged for the appearance here on Friday evening, April 28, of the Strasen Trio, a musical organization of Milwaukee.

At the business meeting of the Lutheran Social Aid Society last evening, the following were elected delegates to the annual state convention of Walther Leagues, to be held at Evansville, May 28th to 30th: Otto Ahlbrand, Henry Holtman, Will Steinker, Fred Droege and John Holtman.

The basket ball game to be played tomorrow night at the high school gymnasium between the Senior Class team and the Methodist Sunday School team promises to furnish some real excitement, and as it will be the last game for several of the high school stars, a good crowd is expected. The proceeds will go to the expense of issuing the Senior annual. The line up of the teams will be as follows: Seniors; Sumner and Ackerman, forwards; Burton, center; and Mackey, Glasson and Riley, guards. Methodists: Murray and Gallemore, forwards; Ault, center; and Siebolt and Hill, guards. The game will be called at 7:30.

The street flusher was put to work on a regular schedule today as the result of action taken by the board of works last night. The schedule will be the same as was followed last summer. The flusher started work in the down-town district and the way the dirt and trash whirled in front of the spray of water indicated that the work was not started too soon. During the winter months the flusher is not used regularly but has been operated several times during the early spring when the weather was favorable. The sweepers have done good work during the winter in keeping the streets free from trash but are unable to do with their brooms what the strong stream of water from the flusher will do. Attention will be given at once to the paved streets in the residential sections.

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Among Indiana's famous women, Mrs. Zerelda G. Wallace deserves mention. She was born in Kentucky in 1817, the daughter of Dr. Sanders, a prominent physician who settled in Indianapolis in 1830. At the age of nineteen she married the lieutenant-governor of the state, David Wallace, who was elected governor the following year. Although she possessed those graces and qualities that fitted her for social leadership, yet Mrs. Wallace found still greater pleasure in training the three sons, born to the Governor by a former wife. She read their books, played their games, and loved them as a mother. The sweet motherly character portrayed in that world famous novel, "Ben Hur," is none other than the author's step-mother. When the W. C. T. U. was organized in Indianapolis in 1874 Mrs. Wallace was elected its first president and served for seven years. Frances E. Willard called her the "Deborah of the Temperance Army." In later life she became the most popular woman lecturer in the west. She died on March 19, 1901.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our many friends and neighbors, who were so kind to us during the sickness, death and burial of our beloved mother, Margaret Jane Richards. We especially thank Rev. Strong for his words of sympathy, Mr. Voss, the undertaker, Mrs. Voss as singer, and the friends for the beautiful floral offerings. Their many acts of kindness will ever be remembered.

THE CHILDREN.

Forty-Hour Devotional.

The forty-hour devotional services began at the St. Ambrose Catholic church yesterday morning and will continue until tomorrow evening. There are several visiting priests here for the devotional services.

Basket Ball.

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